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# MAGI

The labyrinth of magic

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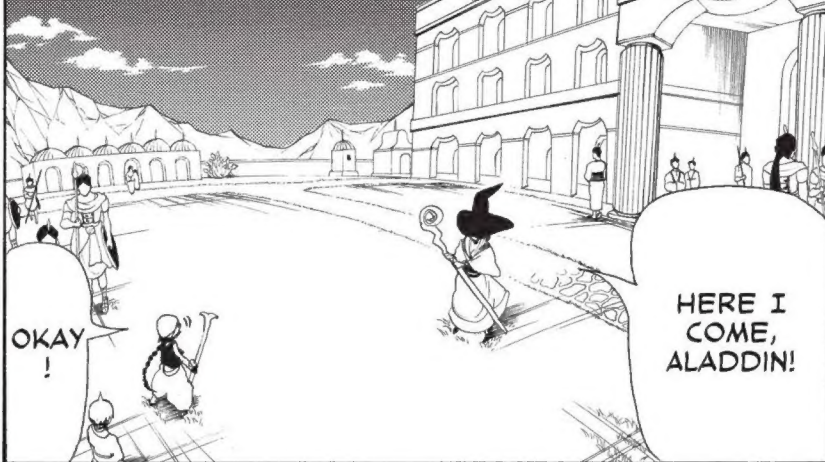
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OKAY !

HERE I COME, ALADDIN!



IT'S  
BAR-  
RIER  
MAGIC.



HE'S USING  
MAGOI TO  
PROTECT  
HIMSELF.

WHAT  
IS  
THAT?!  
THERE IT IS!  
ALADDIN'S  
SHINING  
SPHERE!

YEAH.



YOU SAID YOU  
LEARNED THAT  
RECENTLY AT  
A MYSTERIOUS  
PLACE?





...BUT TO  
MAKE UP  
FOR IT, WE  
CAN DO  
BARRIER  
MAGIC.

OUR  
BODIES  
ARE  
GEARED  
TOWARD  
MAGIC, SO  
THEY'RE  
WEAKER...

BARRIER  
MAGIC IS THE  
SIGN OF A  
SORCERER.

EACH  
INDIVIDUAL  
DIFFERS IN  
STRENGTH.

SOME  
MAGIC  
ATTACKS

MOST  
PHYSICAL  
ATTACKS



WHAT  
DO YOU  
MEAN?

...BUT AS  
A MERE  
RELEASE  
OF HEAT,  
IT'S TOO  
SIMPLE.

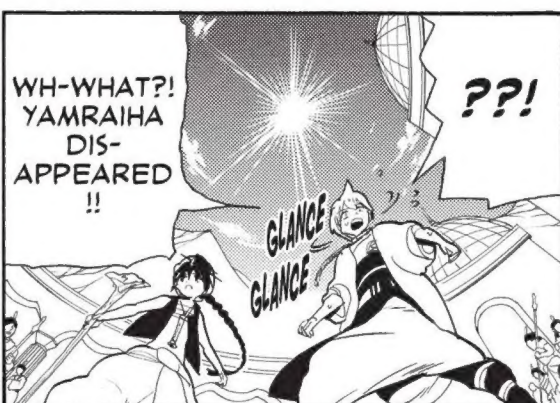
YOUR  
MAGIC  
IS  
POWER-  
FUL...

SWIP

LIKE  
THIS...

MAGIC  
CAN DO  
A LOT  
MORE.









YOU  
CAN DO  
THAT?!

I  
can't  
see  
you!

POKE  
POKE

I CONTROL  
THE  
REFRACTION  
OF LIGHT  
OFF WATER  
VAPOR  
TO HIDE  
MYSELF.



YES. IT'S  
CALLED  
**CON-  
CEALING  
WATER  
FILM.**



FOR-  
MULAS  
?

...IF I GIVE THE  
RUKH THE CORRECT  
FORMULAS FOR  
GATHERING WATER,  
CONVERTING  
WATER  
VAPOR AND  
CONTROLLING  
LIGHT.



VIP

YES...

FWSH



FIGURING  
THEM  
OUT...

...AND  
COMBIN-  
ING  
THEM...

...TO CAUSE  
CERTAIN  
PHENOMENA  
...

CERTAIN  
COMMANDS  
TO RUKH  
HAVE  
CERTAIN  
EFFECTS...

...ACCORD-  
ING TO  
THE  
INVISIBLE  
LAWS THAT  
SHAPE THE  
WORLD.



MAGIC  
CONSISTS  
OF  
SPELLS.



WITH  
TRAINING,  
A MAGOI  
USER LIKE  
YOU CAN  
EMPLOY  
MAGIC  
CONSISTING  
OF  
HUNDREDS  
OF  
FORMULAS!!

...THAT  
IS WHAT  
MAGIC  
IS!!

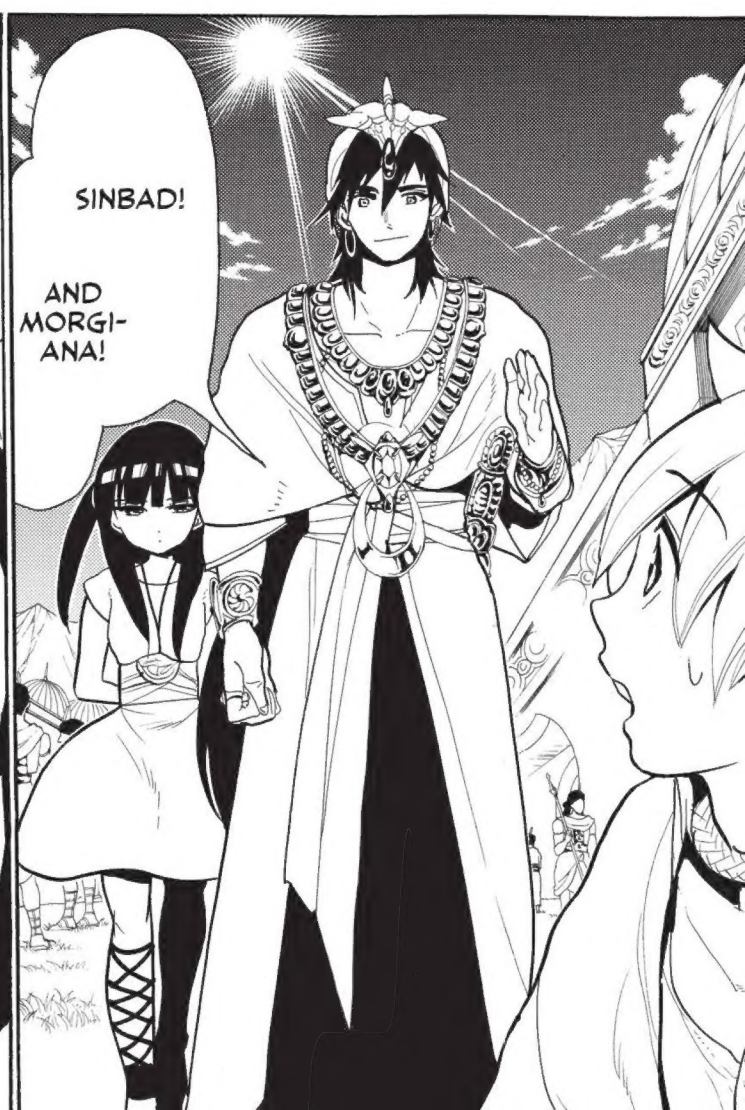
I  
WANNA  
GET  
BETTER  
AT IT!

THANKS,  
MISS! TELL  
ME MORE  
ABOUT  
MAGIC!

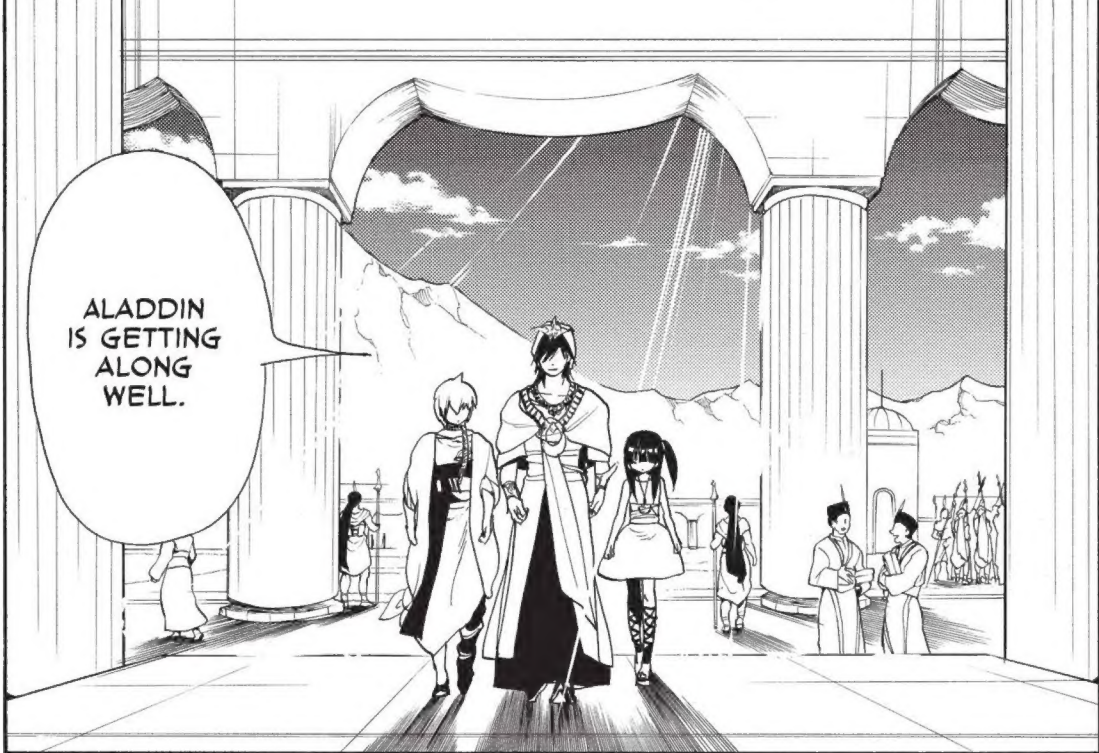
OH...

...SO  
THAT'S  
MAGIC...

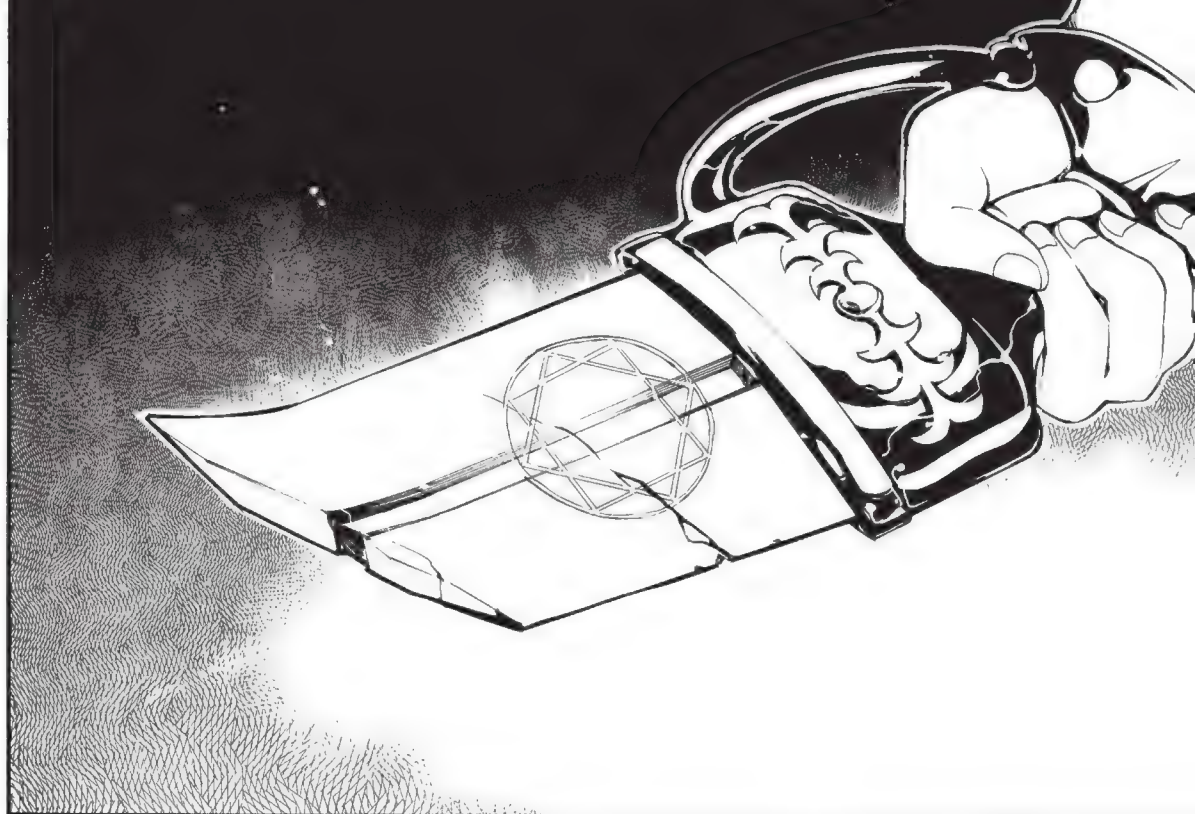












AND IT DOESN'T RESPOND TO ALADDIN. WHAT SHOULD I DO?

I CAN'T EVEN PRODUCE A FLAME!

IT BROKE IN THAT FIGHT...

I CAN'T USE AMON'S SWORD AT ALL.

HMM ...

A character with short, light-colored hair and a headband is shown from the chest up, holding the broken sword with both hands. They have a sad and frustrated expression. In the background, two other characters are visible: one with long dark hair and a headband, and another with short dark hair. A small inset panel shows a character with long dark hair and a headband holding a sword, looking thoughtful.





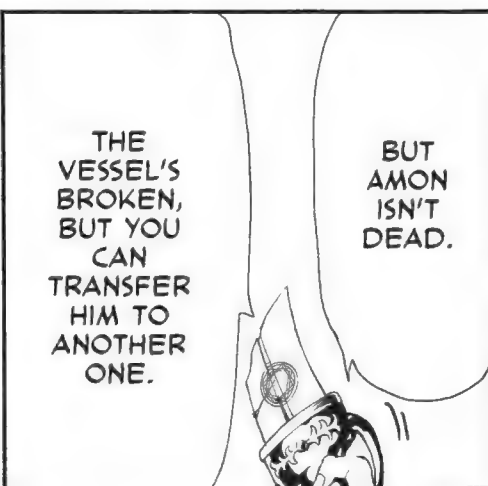
YEAH, THIS  
SWORD IS  
NO LONGER  
USEFUL.



THEN  
YOU  
CAN  
SUMMON  
HIM  
AGAIN.



THE  
PROBLEM  
IS WHAT  
METAL TO  
USE.



THE  
VESSEL'S  
BROKEN,  
BUT YOU  
CAN  
TRANSFER  
HIM TO  
ANOTHER  
ONE.

BUT  
AMON  
ISN'T  
DEAD.



HOW DID  
YOU COME  
BY IT?

AMON  
CHOSE  
THAT KNIFE  
BECAUSE IT  
WAS DEAR  
TO YOU.



...SO METAL  
THAT IS  
FAMILIAR  
TO THE  
WIELDER  
IS BEST.

DURING  
DJINN  
EQUIP,  
DJINN AND  
MASTER  
BECOME  
ONE...





...FOR A  
COMMERCE  
LESSON  
OUTSIDE  
OF CLASS.

...CAME  
WITH ME  
ONCE...

WELL, MY  
FATHER,  
THE  
PREVIOUS  
KING OF  
BALBADD...

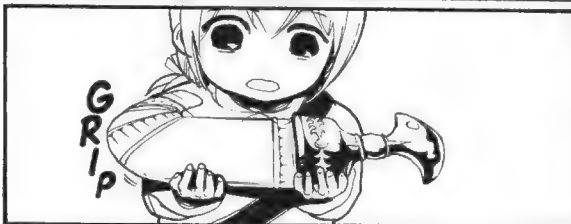


...TO GET  
THAT  
KNIFE.

I  
NEGOTIATED  
MY FIRST  
DEAL THAT  
DAY...



CONTINUE  
THE GOOD  
WORK.



G  
R  
I  
P



BALBADD  
IS A TRADE  
CENTER, SO  
YOU MUST  
LEARN THE  
SUBTLITIES  
OF  
COMMERCE.

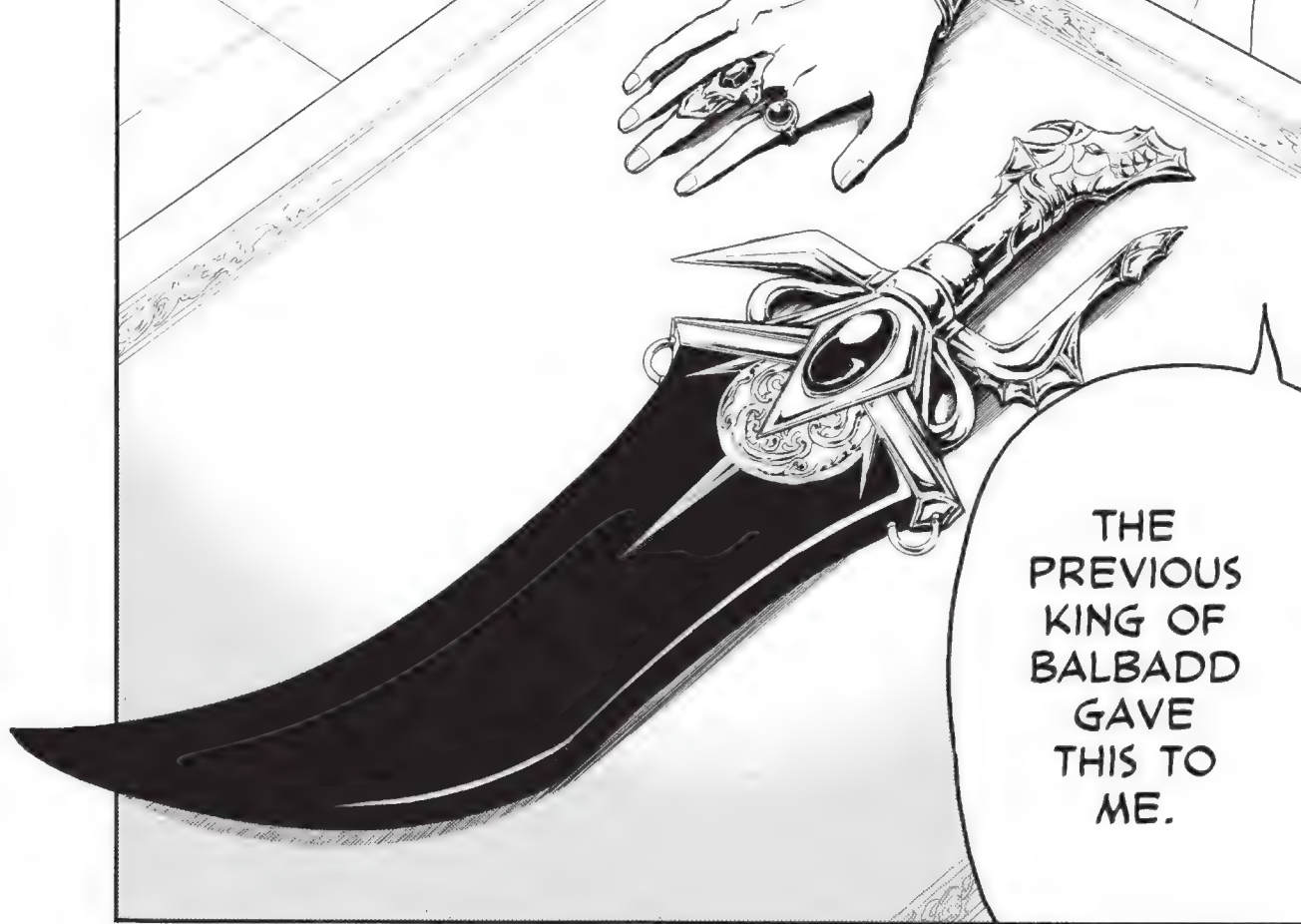


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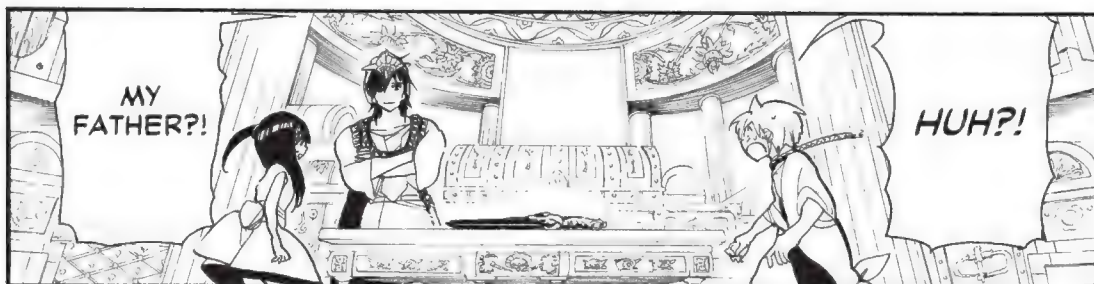






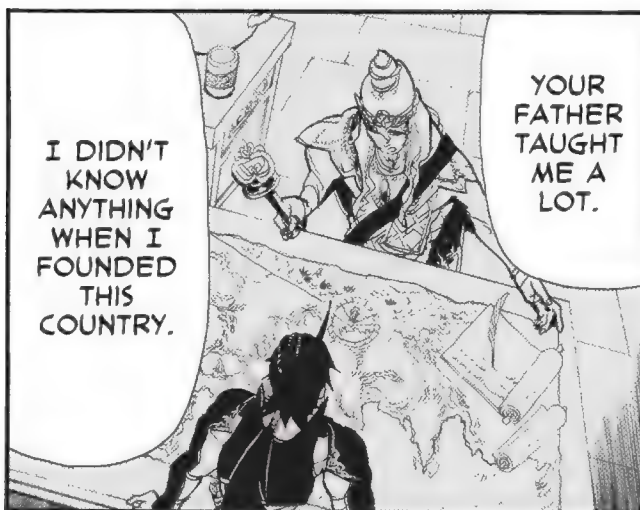


THE  
PREVIOUS  
KING OF  
BALBADD  
GAVE  
THIS TO  
ME.



MY  
FATHER?!

HUH?!



I DIDN'T  
KNOW  
ANYTHING  
WHEN I  
FOUNDED  
THIS  
COUNTRY.

YOUR  
FATHER  
TAUGHT  
ME A  
LOT.



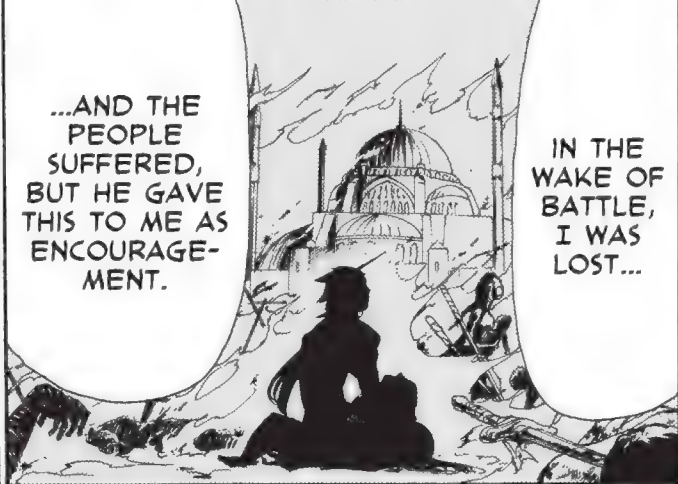
IT IS  
A RELIC  
BLADE  
OF BAL-  
BADD'S  
ROYALTY.





...AND THE  
PEOPLE  
SUFFERED,  
BUT HE GAVE  
THIS TO ME AS  
ENCOURAGEMENT.

IN THE  
WAKE OF  
BATTLE,  
I WAS  
LOST...

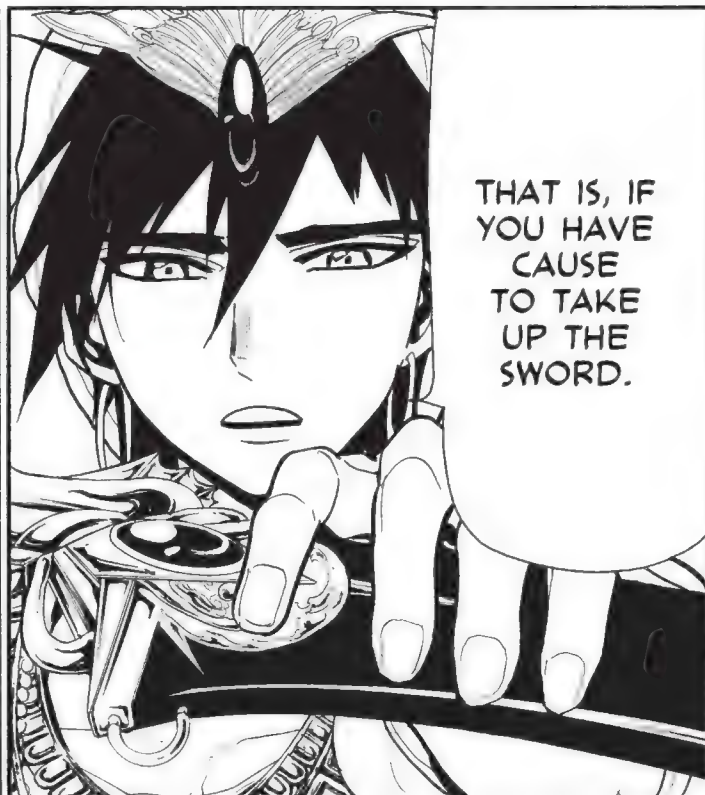


...I  
ENTRUST  
IT TO  
YOU.

AND NOW...



ON  
MY  
LIFE!



THAT IS, IF  
YOU HAVE  
CAUSE  
TO TAKE  
UP THE  
SWORD.











...TO  
HOUSE  
THAT  
POWER.

THUS, SHE  
NEEDS A  
HOUSEHOLD  
VESSEL...

...WORN  
ANY-  
THING  
LIKE  
THIS.

I'VE  
NEV-  
ER...

...

AN ITEM  
YOU WEAR  
IS BEST.  
ANY OF  
THESE  
WOULD  
LOOK  
GOOD ON  
YOU!

MORGIANA!  
THIS SUITS  
YOU  
PERFECTLY!

ALIBABA...  
A GIRL  
WOULDN'T  
LIKE  
THAT...

Gaunt-  
lets?

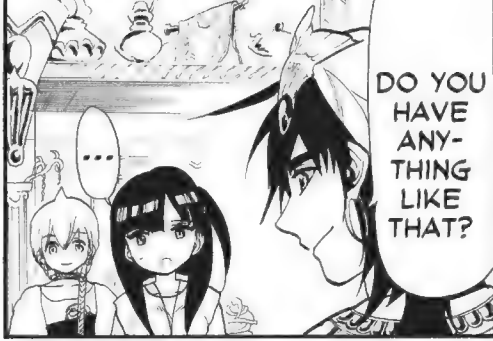
WHAT?!  
SHE  
SEEMS  
PLEASED!

Yeah!  
You  
look  
strong!

DO THEY  
LOOK  
GOOD  
ON ME?

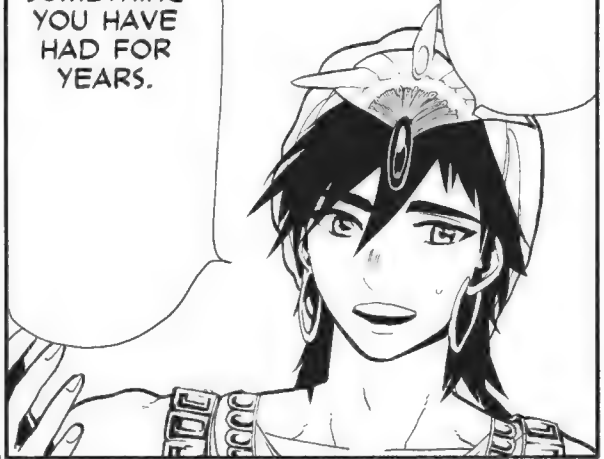
Huh  
?!

DOOOOM



...TO USE SOMETHING YOU HAVE HAD FOR YEARS.

IT WOULD BE BETTER...







BUT  
MORGIANA,  
THOSE ARE...



...AND  
YOU  
FREED  
ME  
FROM  
THEM!

...GOLTAS  
BROKE  
THEM  
OFF...

ALADDIN  
WAS CONCERNED  
ABOUT  
THEM...



YEAH,  
BUT  
...

I  
COULDN'T  
THROW  
THEM  
AWAY.

THEY'RE  
THE  
SHACKLES  
I WORE  
IN  
GISHAN.



...TOWARD  
THOSE  
DEAR TO  
ME!

SMILE



THEY'RE  
A  
PROUD  
SYMBOL  
OF MY  
GRATI-  
TITUDE...



A  
WATCHTOWER  
ON THE  
NORTH-  
EASTERN  
COAST OF  
SINDRIA...



ALERT!  
ALERT!

SLOO  
SH

Night 80:  
Eight Generals



SPLASH  
ASH



SHINK

SLOOSH

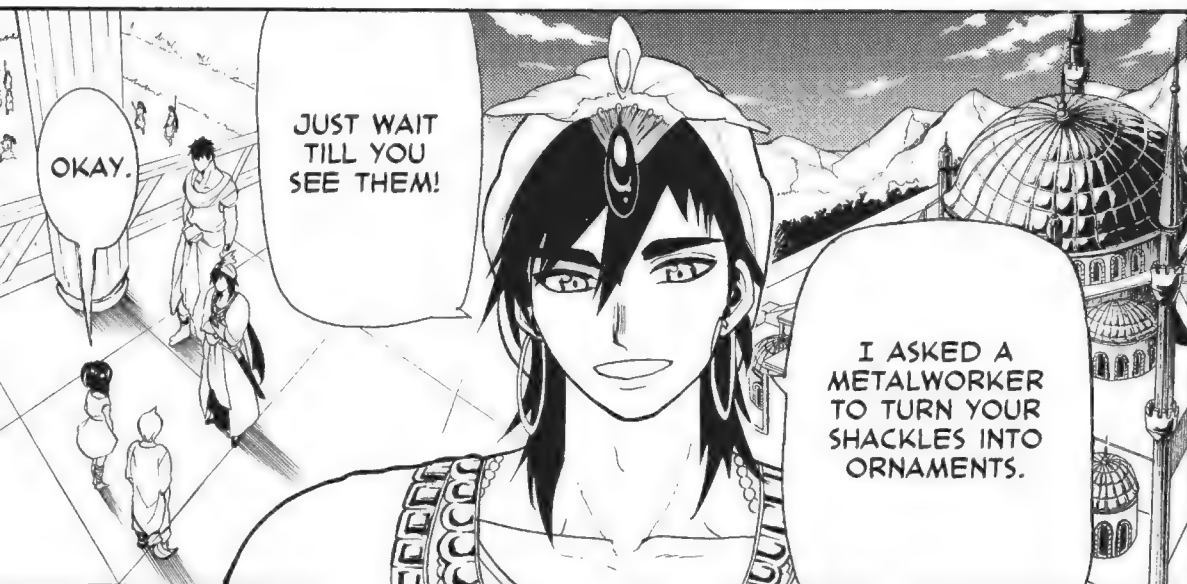


GURCH  
GURCH

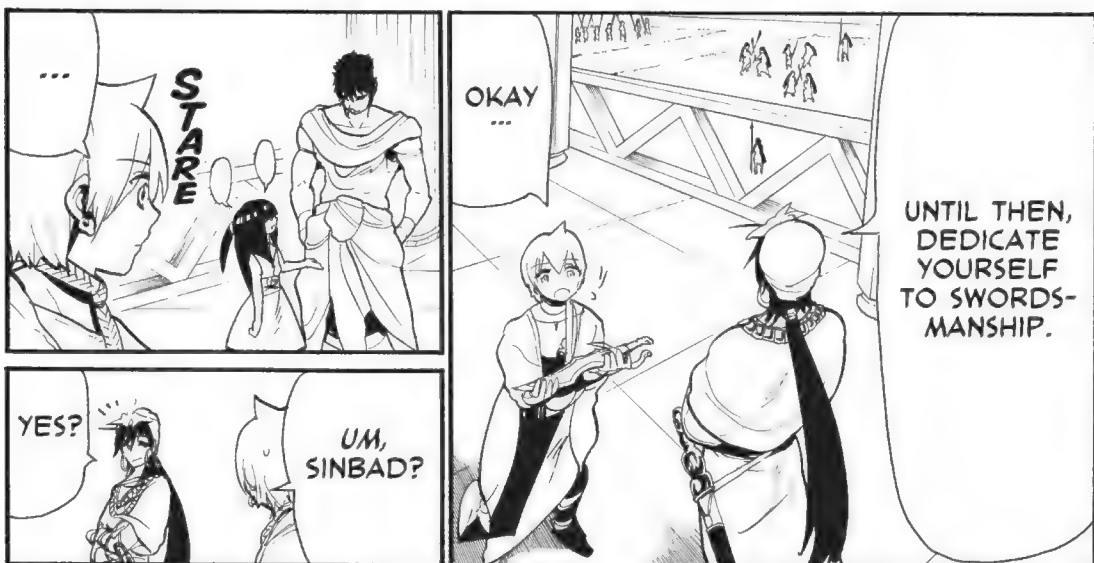
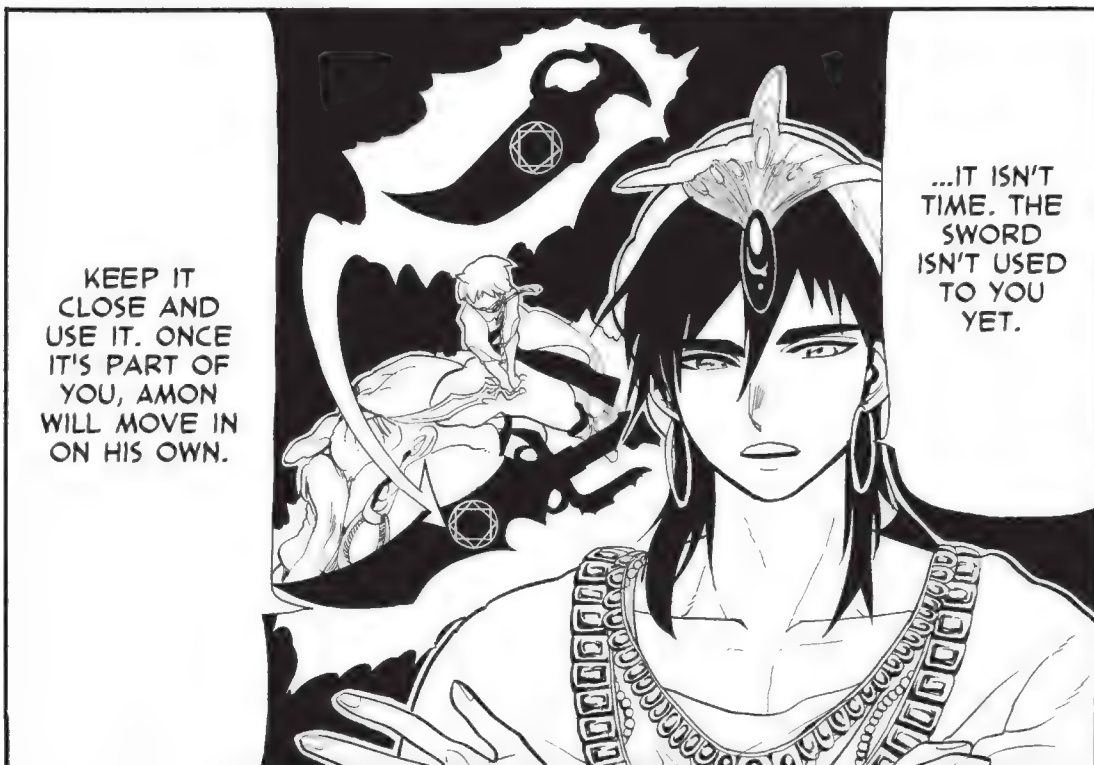


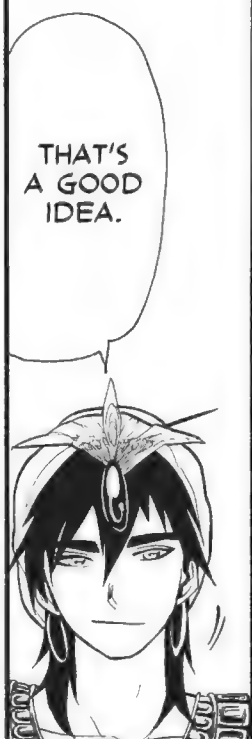
# Night 80: Eight Generals











THAT'S  
A GOOD  
IDEA.

I ONLY  
LEARNED  
FOR A FEW  
YEARS  
AT THE  
PALACE.



WILL YOU  
TEACH ME  
SWORDS-  
MANSHIP?



MY  
LORD  
!!

BET-  
TER  
THAN  
YOU?!



HE'S A  
BETTER  
SWORDS-  
MAN  
THAN I.

BUT I  
KNOW A  
BETTER  
TEACHER.

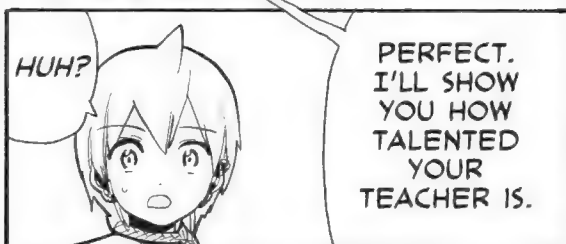


ASSEMBLE  
THE  
EIGHT  
GENERALS!



UNDER-  
STOOD.

A SOUTH SEA  
CREATURE  
HAS  
APPEARED  
NEAR  
THE EAST  
ORCHARDS!



HUH?

PERFECT.  
I'LL SHOW  
YOU HOW  
TALENTED  
YOUR  
TEACHER IS.





HUNT-  
ING  
TIME  
?!

SOLDIERS SAID  
IT WAS HUNTING  
TIME AND THEN  
MISS YAMRAIHA  
TOLD ME TO  
COME HERE.

OH!  
LOOK!!

YAY

THEY  
CALLED YOU  
HERE TOO?

ALADDIN!!



THEY'RE  
HERE!!







USE YOUR  
SWORD ON  
TODAY'S  
PREY...



SPARTOS.

YAMRAIHA.



JA'FAR.

HINAHOHO.

DRAKON.

MASRUR.

PISTI.

THE  
EIGHT  
GENERALS  
SERVE  
KING  
SINBAD.





OVER  
HERE,  
LEVIATHAN!

AS YOU  
WISH,  
M'LORD!





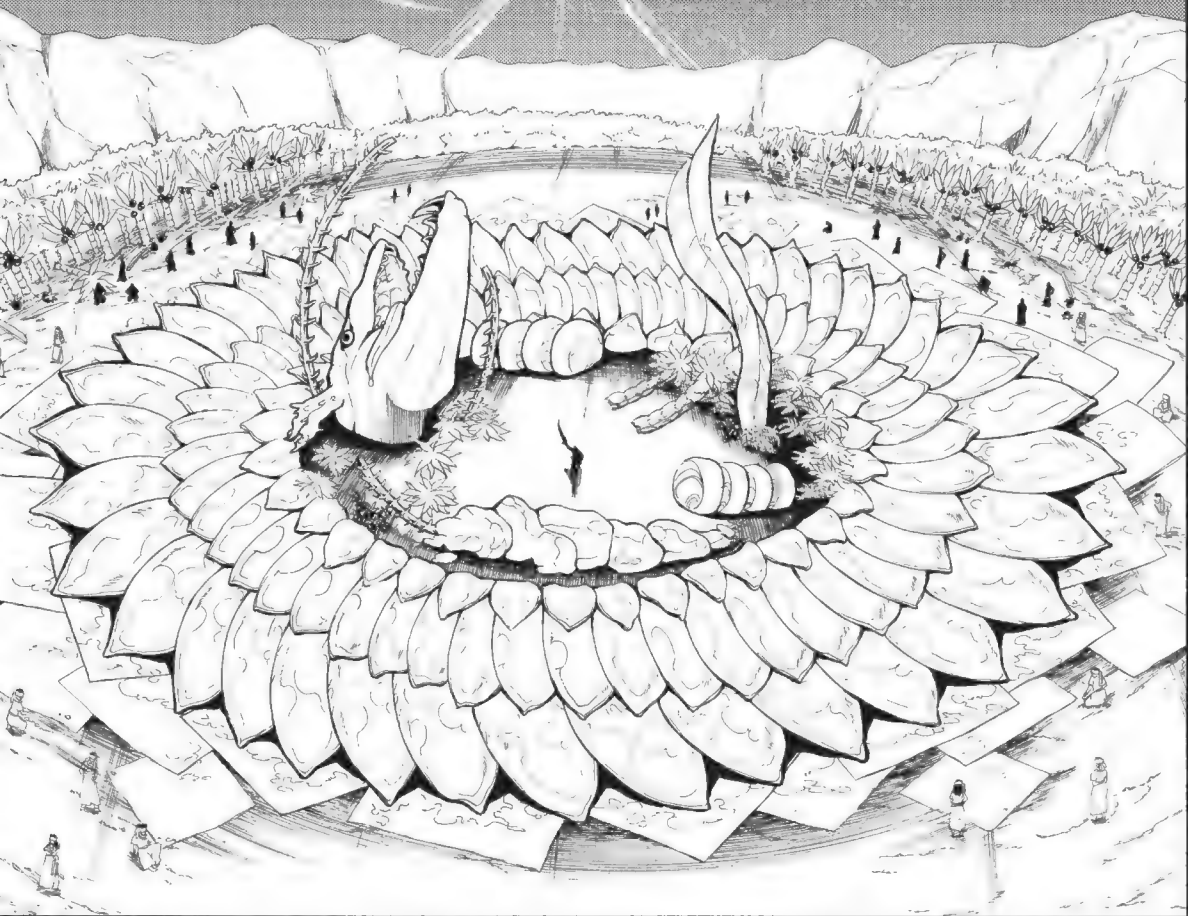






**...COMPLETE!**

**DISSECTION...**



DIG  
IN,  
EVERY-  
ONE!



HE  
JUST  
WANTS  
ATTEN-  
TION.

W-WOW.  
HE'S  
GOT  
SKILLS...



HE  
EVEN  
SERVED  
IT!!!



PLEASED TO MEET YOU!

THIS IS SHARRKAN.  
HE'LL BE YOUR SWORD-MASTER.



VALUING THE ART IS A GOOD PLACE TO START!

YOU MUST LIKE SWORD-PLAY A LOT!

Yes...  
Yes...



ALIBABA! SWORD-PLAY IS FOR US **MEN!**

ALI-BABA.

YOUR NAME WAS BABA SOMETHING?

...

Ha ha ha ha!



YOU'RE LOOKING FOR A TEACHER SO YOU CAN IMPROVE?

YEAH!



WHAT?!

WHAT?!



FLINCH

ALIBABA, HE'LL TURN YOU INTO A SWORD NUT.



YOUR  
HOUSE-  
HOLD  
VESSEL  
USES  
MAGIC,  
YOU  
KNOW!

A  
DRUNKEN  
LOSER  
SWINGING  
AROUND  
A STRIP  
OF METAL  
WOULDN'T  
UNDER-  
STAND!

**MAGIC**  
IS THE  
STRONGEST!



**SWORDS**  
ARE THE  
STRONG-  
EST!

THEY'RE  
WEAKLINGS  
TOO  
ARROGANT  
TO  
UNDERSTAND  
THE BEAUTY  
OF VICTORY  
WITH  
NOTHING BUT  
A SWORD  
AND THEIR  
SKILL!

THAT'S WHY  
I HATE  
SORCERERS!



WHAT?  
JUST  
YOU TRY!

BUT I  
DON'T  
NEED IT  
TO BEAT  
YOU.

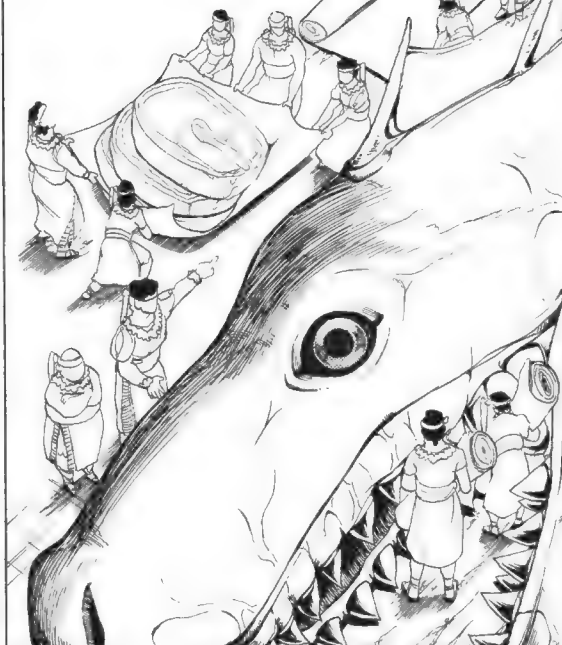








A FEW TIMES  
EACH YEAR, ONE  
GETS THROUGH  
THE OFFSHORE  
DEFENSES AND  
ATTACKS. THE  
KING AND EIGHT  
GENERALS  
DEFEAT THEM.



COLOSSAL  
BEASTS  
KNOWN AS  
SOUTH SEA  
CREATURES  
INHABIT THE  
WATERS  
AROUND  
SINDRIA.

THEY CALL  
THEIR  
HARVEST  
FEASTS  
MAHARA-  
GAN.

THE  
SOUTH SEA  
CREATURES  
ARE RICH  
IN PROTEIN  
AND FEED  
THE WHOLE  
COUNTRY.



...TO  
EASE THE  
ISLANDERS'  
ANXIETY  
AND  
ENTERTAIN  
VISITORS.



USUALLY  
THEY  
WOULD BE  
A THREAT,  
BUT SINBAD  
HAS TURNED  
THEM  
INTO A PERFORM-  
ANCE...



AND  
TONIGHT IS  
ANOTHER  
FEAST!





# Night 81: Night of Maharagan

















REAL-  
LY?

YOU  
LOOK  
GREAT,  
MOR!

THE  
GIRLS  
TOLD  
ME TO  
WEAR  
THIS  
AND  
HAND  
OUT  
FLOW-  
ERS.



YOU'RE  
SO  
PRETTY  
I  
DIDN'T  
RECOG-  
NIZE  
YOU!

**BWAH**

YEAH!  
THAT  
SUITS  
YOU  
REALLY  
WELL!



UH...  
HUH?

**HMF**



WHAT  
ARE  
YOU  
TALKING  
ABOUT?

I'M RIGHT  
IN FRONT  
OF YOU!







LET ME  
ATTEND  
YOU!

...AND  
I WANT  
TO  
FIGHT  
BESIDE  
YOU.



IT'LL BE  
GREAT TO  
HAVE MOR  
WITH US!

ISN'T  
THAT  
GREAT,  
ALIBABA  
?

NO...  
I  
MEAN...

AT-  
TEND  
...?



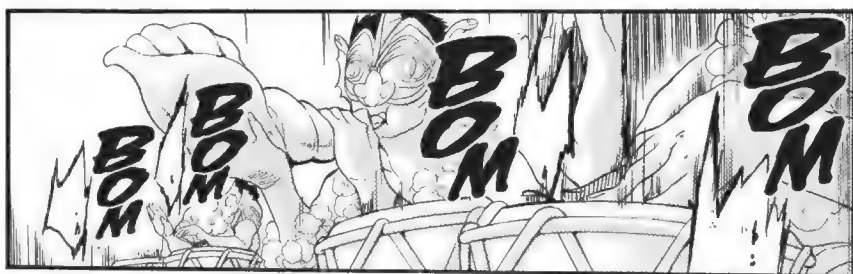
OF  
COURSE!

CAN I  
ATTEND  
YOU?









WHAT  
CAN I  
DO...

I'M  
SO  
HAPPY  
...

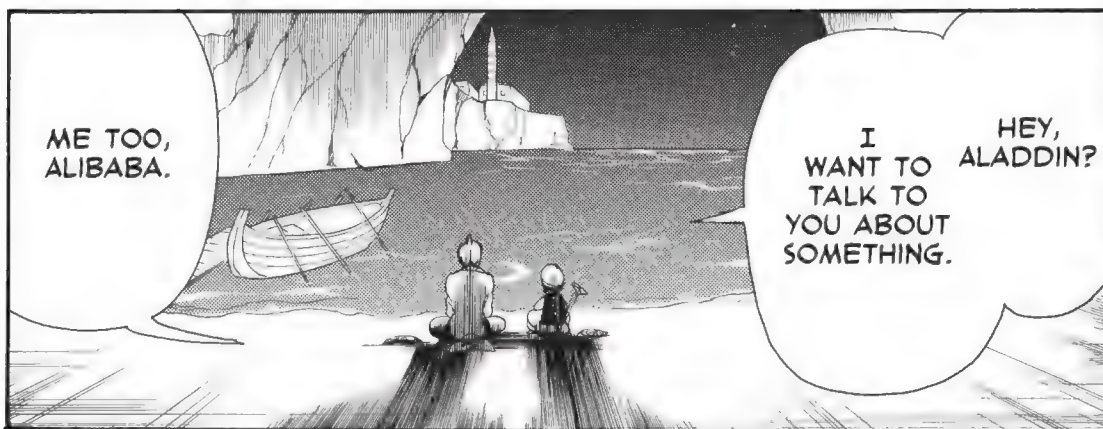
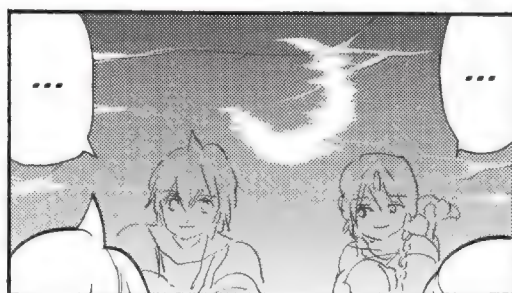
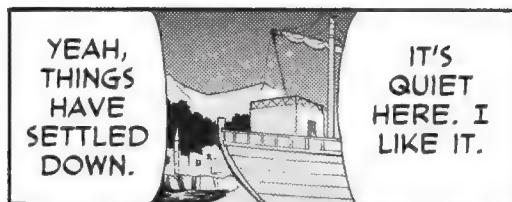


















I WANT TO  
STOP THE  
PEOPLE  
WHO TELL  
US OTHER-  
WISE.



PEOPLE  
ARE  
DIFFERENT,  
BUT NO  
ONE IS  
SCUM.



...I'M  
GOING  
TO  
FIGHT  
FOR!

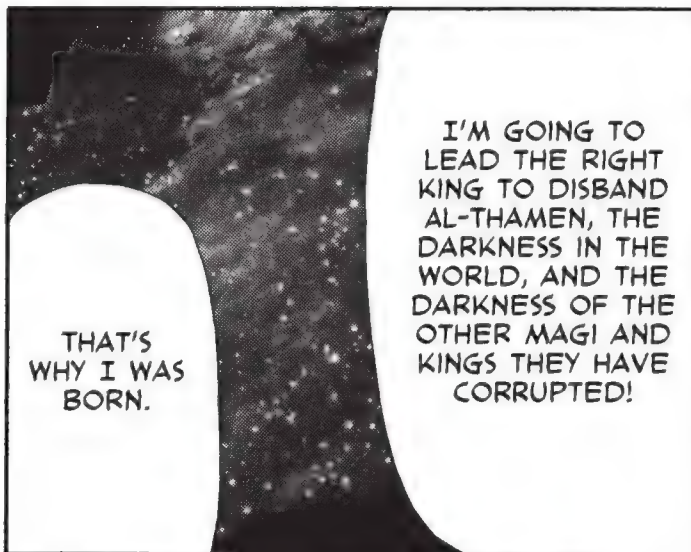
FROM NOW  
ON, THAT'S  
WHAT...



YES....  
...I  
AM.

YOU  
ARE?





I'M GOING TO LEAD THE RIGHT KING TO DISBAND AL-THAMEN, THE DARKNESS IN THE WORLD, AND THE DARKNESS OF THE OTHER MAGI AND KINGS THEY HAVE CORRUPTED!



...??



YEAH.

THIS COUNTRY IS A MONARCHY, BUT THE PEOPLE HOLD THEIR HEADS HIGH.



OH... RIGHT.

LUCKY FOR US, A KING ALREADY FIGHTS BESIDE US!







AND AS  
MAGI,  
I WILL  
SHOW  
YOU  
THE WAY!

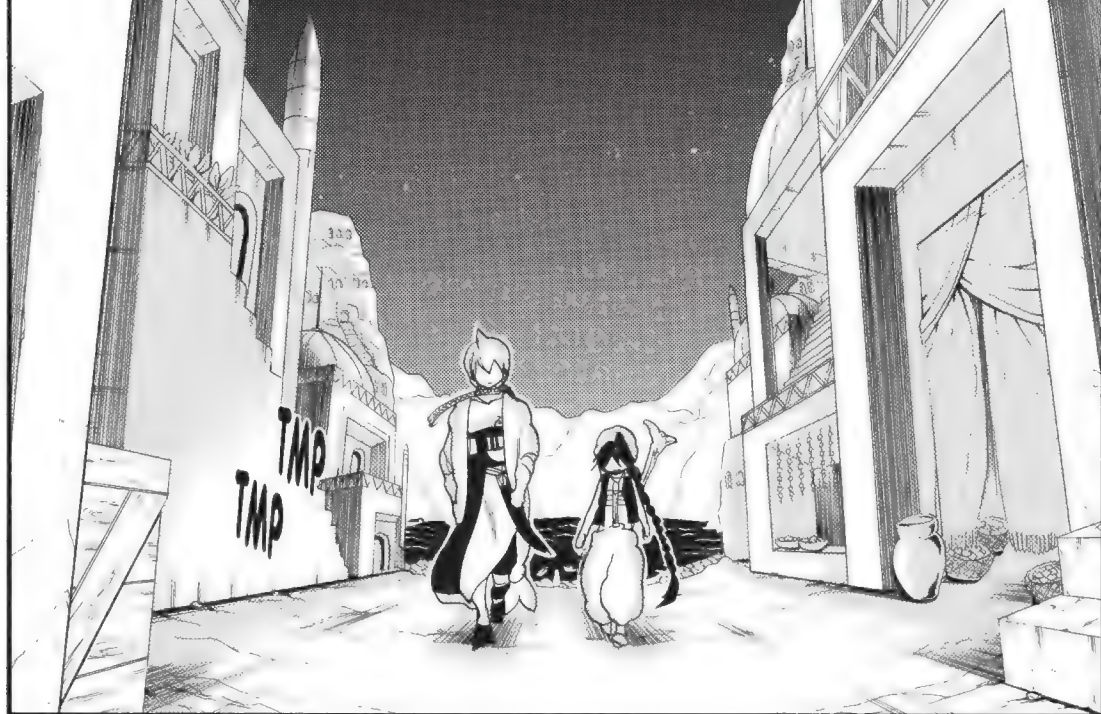


YOU  
WILL  
LEAD  
THE  
WORLD  
FOR-  
WARD!



# Night-82: A Big Country









...ALI-  
BABA?

WHAT  
DO YOU  
MEAN...



I BET YOU  
WAITED  
FOR ME  
TO GET  
MY HEAD  
TOGETHER.

YOU'RE  
A GOOD  
GUY.



YEAH!

...HERE'S TO  
THE DAYS  
AHEAD!

OH  
WELL...



YAY  
YAY

YAY  
YAY









Ooh!  
King  
SindBad!

My  
king!

HA HA HA HA

LET ME SIT  
ON YOUR  
LAP NEXT!



ALADDIN!  
ALIBABA!  
I'VE BEEN  
WAITING  
FOR YOU!



WHOA!  
I'LL  
HAVE  
SOME  
OF  
THAT!

W  
H  
O  
A.

WHOA.



GATHER  
THE EIGHT  
GENERALS!

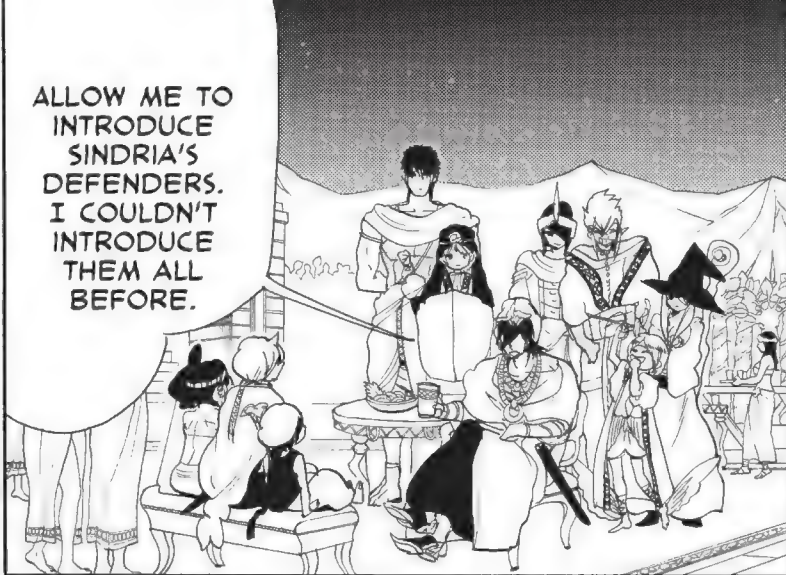


YOU  
INTRO-  
DUCED  
ME IN  
BALBADD!

THIS IS  
ONE OF  
THEM!

ALLOW ME TO  
INTRODUCE  
SINDRIA'S  
DEFENDERS.  
I COULDN'T  
INTRODUCE  
THEM ALL  
BEFORE.

Are you  
drunk?



...BUT HE  
GAVE  
UP THE  
SWORD  
A WHILE  
BACK.

HE WAS  
ONCE A  
GLADIATOR...

**MASRUR**  
HAS A  
SWORD, BUT  
HE WON'T  
TRAIN YOU,  
ALIBABA.

Sorry.



...SO HE  
WILL  
ASSIST  
IN YOUR  
TRAINING.

HE'S AN  
ADMINIS-  
TRATOR  
AND  
EXCELLENT  
ASSASSIN...

THIS IS  
**JA'FAR.**

If you  
wish.



LOON

YOU  
CALLED,  
KING  
SINBAD  
?

THEY'RE  
ARENA  
WARRIORS  
ON THE  
LEAM  
CONTINENT  
TO THE  
WEST.

WHAT'S  
A  
GLADI-  
ATOR?



ALL OF HIS  
PEOPLE  
ARE BIG.  
DON'T LET  
IT BOTHER  
YOU.

THIS IS  
HINAHOHO,  
A WARRIOR  
FROM  
IMCHUK FAR  
TO THE  
NORTH.



HE  
HAS A  
LOVELY  
WIFE!

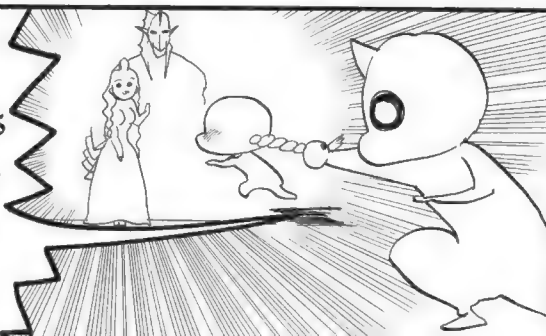
SPARKLE  
SPARKLE

...

HE LOOKS  
LIKE A  
DRAGON  
BUT WAS  
ONCE  
HUMAN.  
HE'S LOYAL,  
SO DON'T  
BE AFRAID.

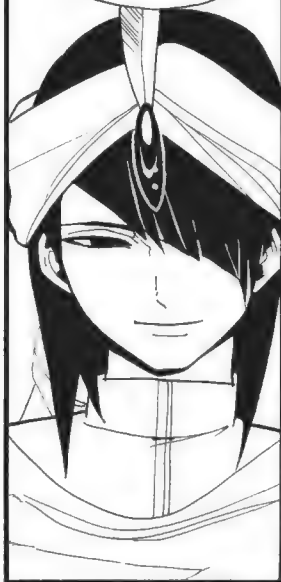
THIS IS  
DRAKON,  
A  
FORMER  
SOLDIER  
FROM  
THE  
PAR-  
TEBIAN  
EMPIRE.

PEOPLE'S  
WIVES  
ARE OFF  
LIMITS!





**SPARTOS**  
FROM  
SASAN...



**PISTI** FROM  
ALTIMERA...



**SHARRKAN**  
FROM  
ELIOHAPT...



**YAMRAIHA**  
FROM  
MAGNOSHUTATT...



...OR REFUGEES  
WHO CAME  
BECAUSE OF  
CIRCUMSTANCES  
IN THEIR  
HOMELANDS.



THEY ARE  
ROYAL  
CHILDREN  
ENTRUSTED  
TO ME BY  
ALLIED  
NATIONS...

...



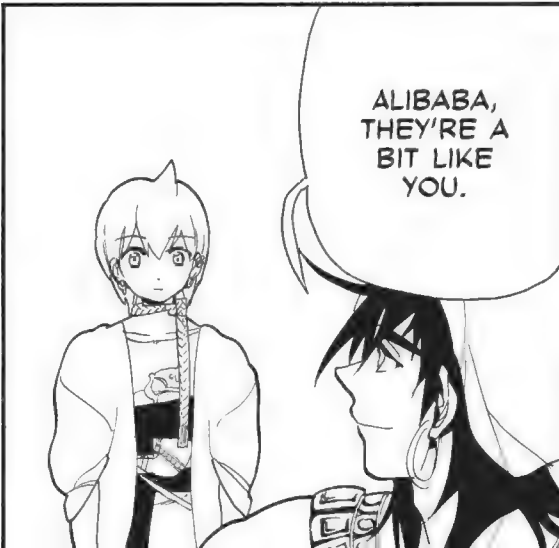
LIKE  
ME...

...AND  
MANY  
KINDS OF  
PEOPLE  
WERE  
THERE...



A LOT  
HAP-  
PENED  
IN BAL-  
BADD...

ALIBABA,  
THEY'RE A  
BIT LIKE  
YOU.





NO, THAT IS TOO VULGAR FOR ME.

SPARTOS! LET'S JOIN EVERYONE!

KYAAA  
KYAAA  
KYAAA

DON'T SAY THAT!

TUG TUG



M'LORD, PLEASE... NO...

YEAH, DON'T SAY THAT!

ARE YOU REFUSING YOUR KING?



...AND ALL DEPEND ON EACH OTHER.

...BUT THE PEOPLE HERE ARE FROM MANY NATIONS...



BUT WHY?

CHILDREN ARE GREAT! YOU SHOULD HAVE A BUNCH!



YEAH! HOW ABOUT IT, SINBAD?

MY LORD, DO YOU NEVER INTEND TO MARRY?





THE  
PEOPLE  
ARE MY  
FAMILY!



THE  
FESTIVAL  
IS  
ALMOST  
OVER!!



HERE'S  
TO KING  
SINBAD  
AND THE  
KINGDOM  
OF  
SINDRIA!!!





SPARKLE

SPARKLE

SPARKLE

OOO





THE  
KINGDOM  
OF  
SINDRIA...



YEAH!

...  
...BUT  
A BIG  
COUNTRY.

...IS A  
SMALL  
ISLAND...





THUS, THE  
FEAST  
DREW TO A  
CLOSE...



LET US  
TALK.



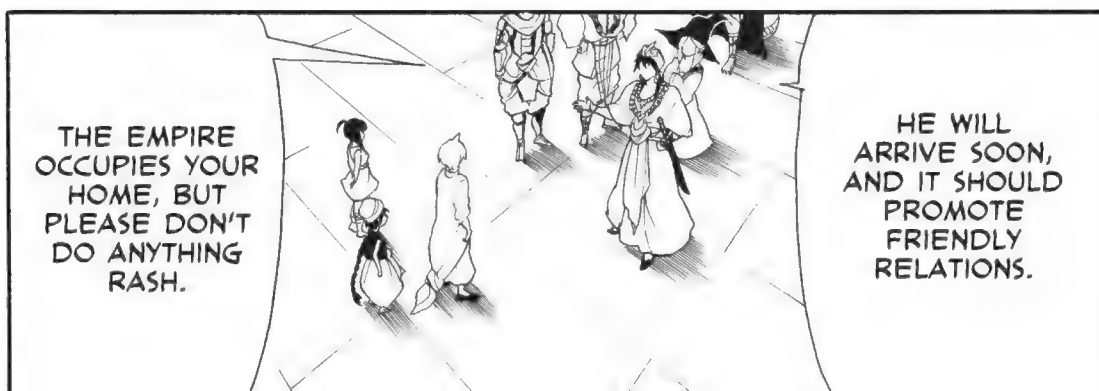
ALIBABA!



WHEN  
NEGOTIATING,  
I  
ACCEPTED  
A  
PROPOSAL...

...FOR  
A KOU  
PRINCE  
TO STUDY  
HERE.

IT'S  
ABOUT  
THE KOU  
EMPIRE.



THE EMPIRE  
OCCUPIES YOUR  
HOME, BUT  
PLEASE DON'T  
DO ANYTHING  
RASH.

HE WILL  
ARRIVE SOON,  
AND IT SHOULD  
PROMOTE  
FRIENDLY  
RELATIONS.







THAT  
WOULD BE  
CALAMITOUS!!  
ONE WRONG  
MOVE COULD  
MEAN WAR!!

I  
KNOW!



YOU DID  
NOT  
TOUCH  
HER IN  
THAT  
WAY, DID  
YOU?!

NO,  
SIN...

TRMBL  
TRMBL  
TRMBL



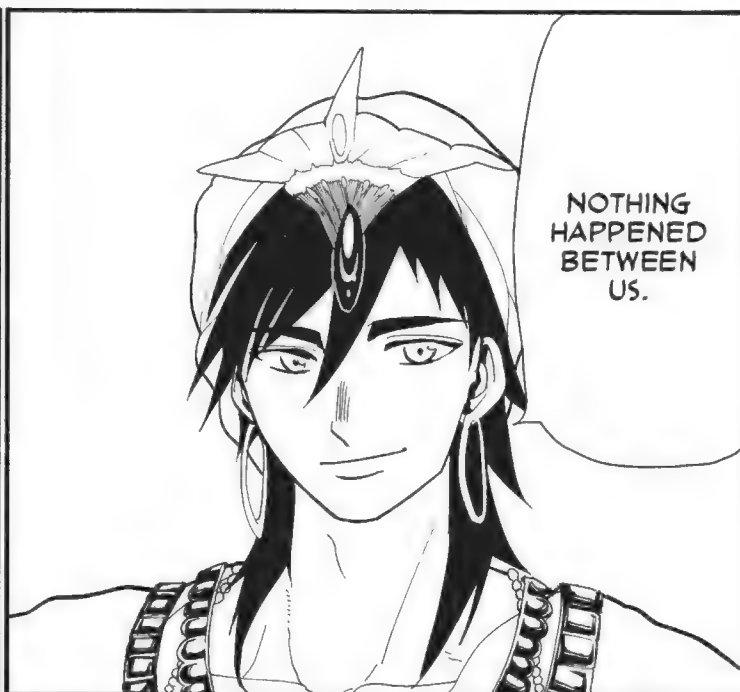
GOOD  
...

PHEW

I  
WOULDN'T  
ENDANGER  
MY MISSION!

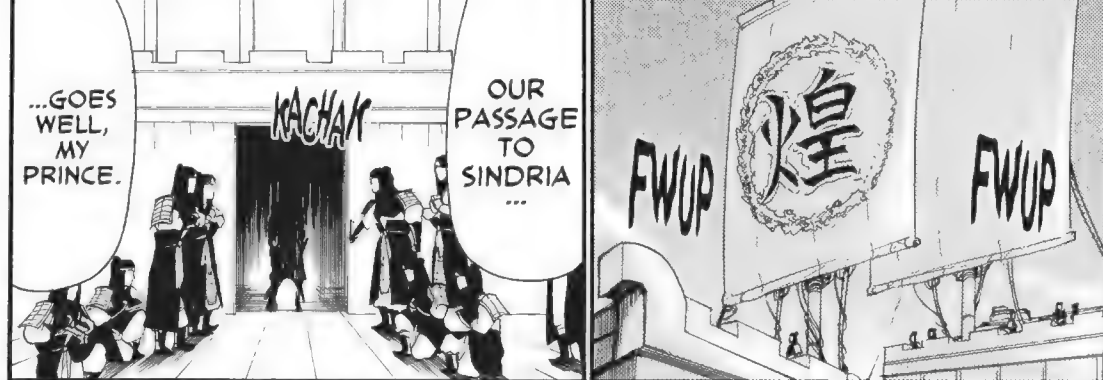
Right.

I WENT FOR  
DIPLOMACY!!  
FOR THE  
PEOPLE OF  
SINDRIA AND  
BALBADD!



NOTHING  
HAPPENED  
BETWEEN  
US.











A SMALL  
TRAINING  
GROUND  
IN  
SINDRIA  
PALACE

CLANG  
CLANG  
CLANG



AMON  
ENTERED  
THE  
RELIC  
BLADE!!

Night 83:  
Days and Days

FW

AH



FWOO

?!



SO MY  
INTENSE HAS  
TRAINING  
PAID OFF!

AH!  
FINALLY!





HUH?

NOW  
ATTACK  
WITH  
THAT.



HE'S COM-  
PLETELY  
DIFFERENT  
WHEN WE  
TRAIN!

Call  
me  
Mas-  
ter!

Why're  
you  
rest-  
ing?!

No  
slack-  
ing!  
Grah.

IT WAS  
TOO  
INTENSE  
...

UGH

WAAAAH!



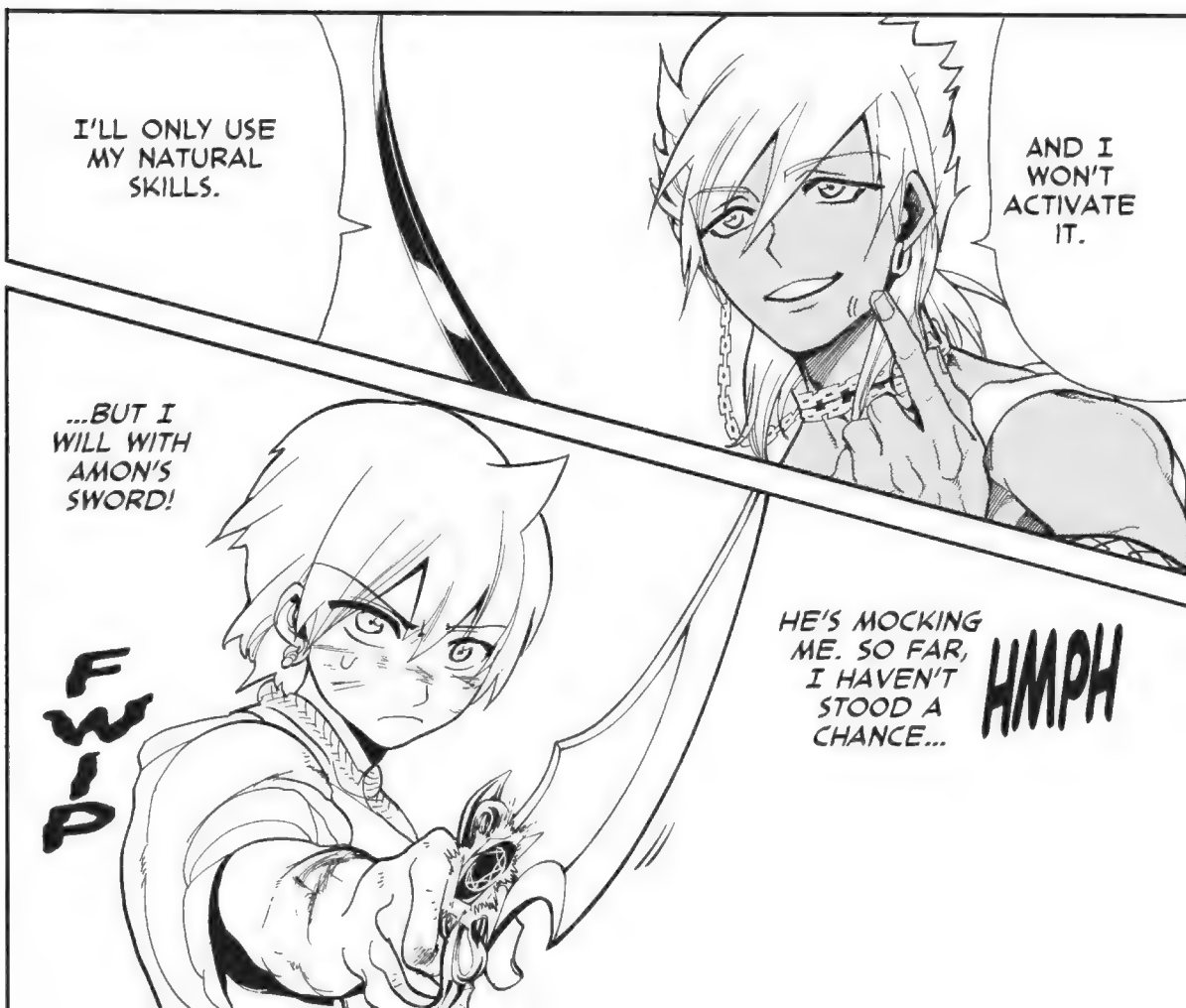
Heh!

BUT  
YOU  
ONLY  
HAVE A  
HOUSE-  
HOLD  
VESSEL...



YOU SAID  
YOUR  
WEAPON  
EQUIP  
COULD CUT  
ANYTHING!

SHOW  
ME  
THE  
SWORD  
OF  
AMON.



I'LL ONLY USE  
MY NATURAL  
SKILLS.

AND I  
WON'T  
ACTIVATE  
IT.

...BUT I  
WILL WITH  
AMON'S  
SWORD!

F-W-D

HE'S MOCKING  
ME. SO FAR,  
I HAVEN'T  
STOOD A  
CHANCE...

HMPH



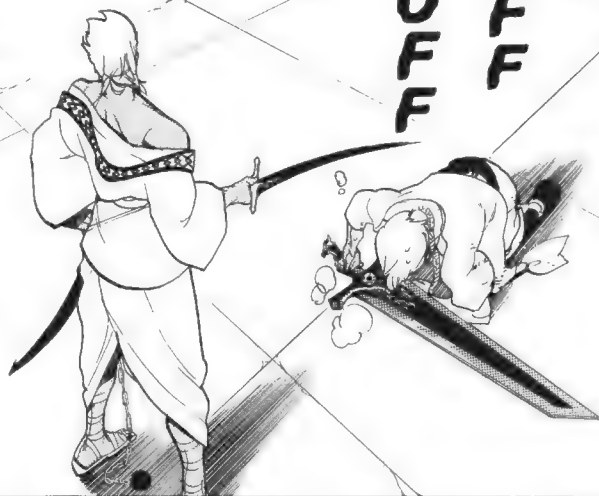






TOO BAD.  
YOU HAVE  
THE SWORD  
OF AMON  
BUT NO  
SKILL.

HUFF  
HUFF



THAT'S  
WHY YOUR  
DJINN  
EQUIP  
CONFUSED  
ME.



BUT CHEER UP.  
YOU'VE GOT  
POTENTIAL AND  
INSTINCT! AND  
THE STYLE YOU  
LEARNED IN THE  
PALACE ISN'T  
BAD!

UGH



DON'T  
YOU  
KNOW?

HM?

HUH?

GRIN



IS THAT  
GOOD  
ENOUGH  
FOR YOU?



THERE'S  
A  
**BETTER**  
WAY TO  
DO A  
WEAPON  
EQUIP!



...WAY?

A  
BETTER  
...



MY WORK  
HOURS  
ARE OVER.  
WAIT TILL  
TOMORROW!

HUH? BUT  
WHAT  
ABOUT THE  
WEAPON  
EQUIP?

NO  
MORE  
TRAINING.  
TIME FOR  
A DRINK!



OOPS.  
DONE  
FOR  
THE  
DAY.

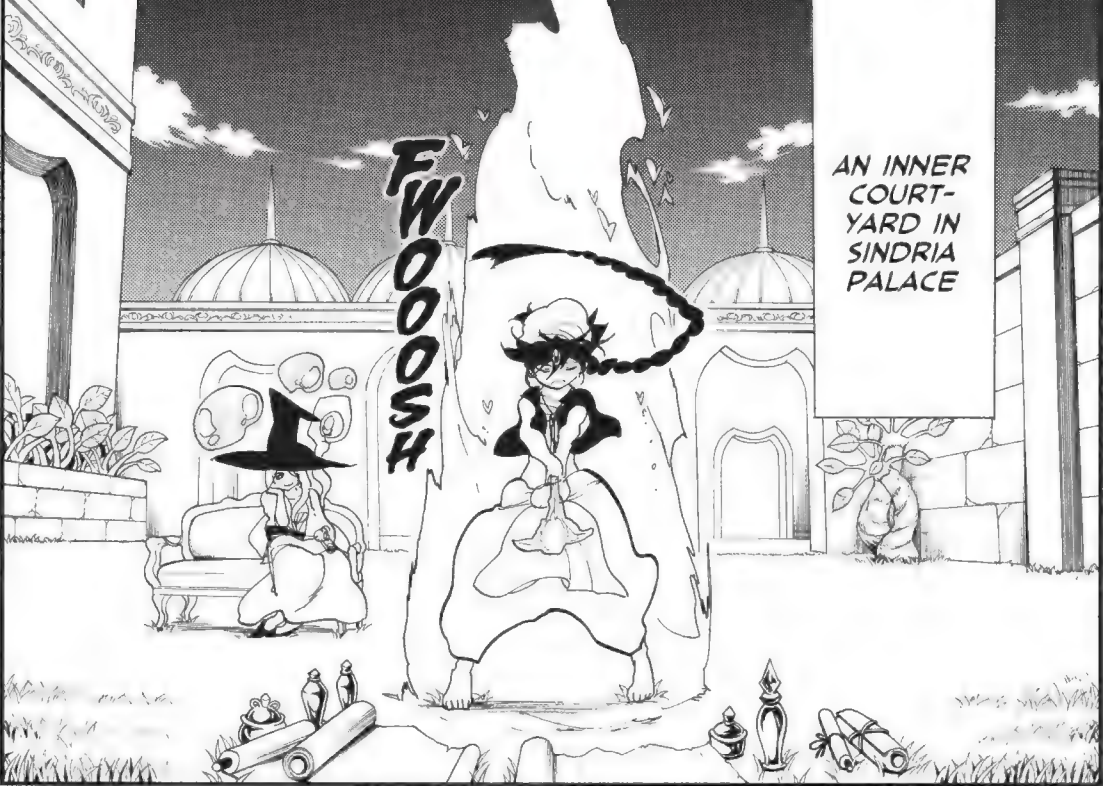


Bot-  
toms  
up!

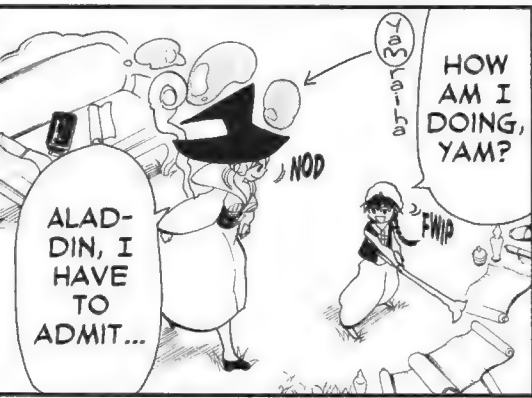
NOPE! IN  
TIMES OF  
PEACE, I  
RELAX IN  
MY OFF  
TIME!

TELL  
ME  
THE  
REST!!





AN INNER  
COURT-  
YARD IN  
SINDRIA  
PALACE



NO. AS A  
MAGI, YOU  
MAY BE  
SPECIAL,  
BUT...

IT'S  
NOT?

...BUT  
THAT'S NOT  
SUITABLE  
FOR A  
SORCERER.

YOUR MAGIC  
IS ROUGH.  
EVERYTHING YOU  
DO IS AN ATTACK  
LIKE BLAZING  
PALMS...

...SORCERERS  
ARE UNEQUAL  
TO METAL  
VESSEL  
USERS.

...IN  
OFFENSIVE  
CAPA-  
BILITY...

...THAT  
ABSORB  
NATURAL  
PHENOMENA  
TO RELEASE  
ATTACKS OF  
INCREDIBLE  
FORCE.

METAL  
VESSELS  
FUNCTION AS  
AMPLIFIERS...

...WE CAN  
ASSIST THE  
MORE  
LIMITED  
RANGE OF  
ATTACKS  
EMPLOYED  
BY USERS OF  
METAL AND  
HOUSEHOLD  
VESSELS.

DEPEND-  
ING ON  
GEOGRAPHY  
AND CIRCUM-  
STANCES...

HOWEVER,  
WE CAN  
USE A  
VARIETY OF  
MAGICAL  
EFFECTS.

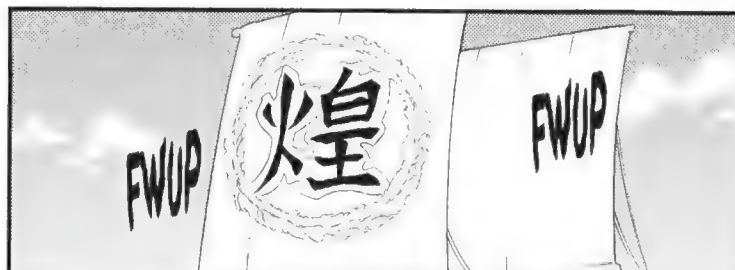
WE  
SORCER-  
ERS CAN'T  
DO THAT.





THUS, THE  
DAYS OF  
TRAINING  
CONTINUED.

I  
WANNA  
DO  
THAT  
WITH  
FIRE!

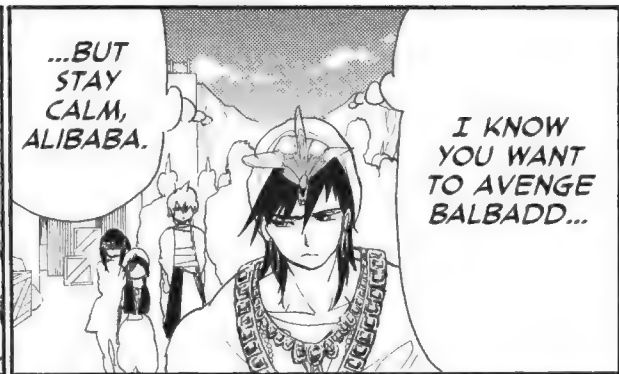


...A  
DELEGATION  
FROM THE  
KOU EMPIRE  
ARRIVED.

AND  
THEN...









HE'S  
SORTA  
LIKE  
THAT  
GIRL WE  
MET.

I WON-  
DERED  
WHAT  
HE  
WOULD  
BE  
LIKE.



FWIP

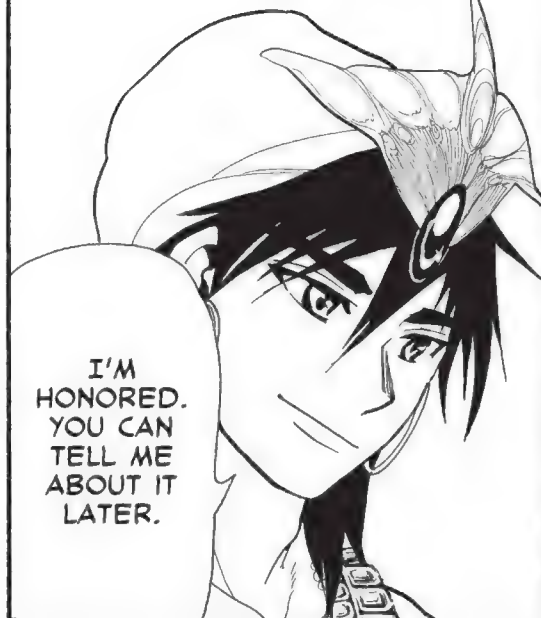
STARE



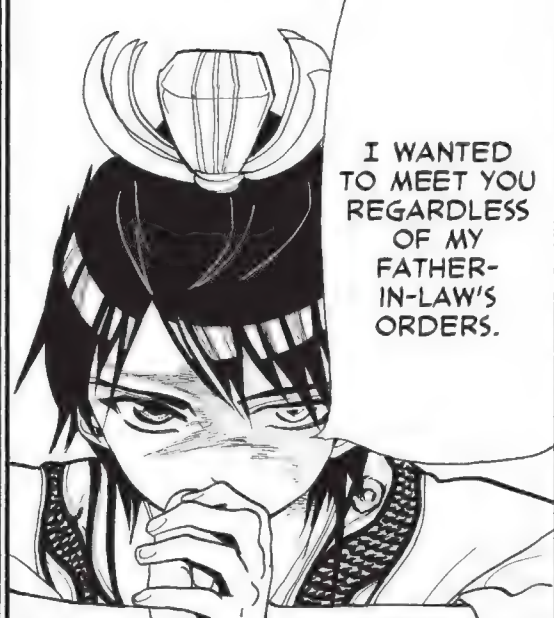
HIS MAJESTY  
TOLD ME  
ABOUT YOU.  
WELCOME.

I AM  
HAKURYU  
REN, FOURTH  
PRINCE OF  
THE KOU  
EMPIRE.





I'M  
HONORED.  
YOU CAN  
TELL ME  
ABOUT IT  
LATER.



I WANTED  
TO MEET YOU  
REGARDLESS  
OF MY  
FATHER-  
IN-LAW'S  
ORDERS.

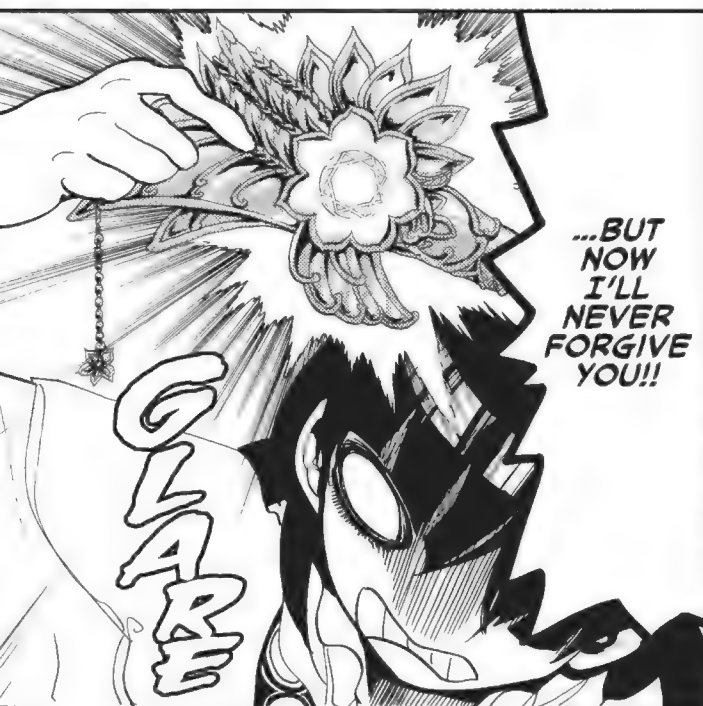


AND WHO  
IS THIS WITH  
YOU?











N-  
NOTH-  
ING!

WHAT  
DID  
YOU  
DO?!

YOU  
SH-  
SHAMED  
HER?!

SHAKE  
SHAKE



UGH!! GAH

WHAT  
HAP-  
PENED,  
PRIN-  
CESS?!



DUEL  
ME,  
SINBAD  
!!

SHAMING  
A MAIDEN  
CRIES  
OUT FOR  
DEATH!!



PARDON ME.  
MAKING HER  
REVEAL HER  
SHAME WOULD  
BE CRUEL.  
ALLOW ME.

W  
A  
A  
H  
!!

SOB  
SOB  
SOB  
SOB

TUMP

**KA KOBUN**  
KOGYOKU REN'S  
SERVANT



B  
L  
U  
S  
H

TRMBL  
TRMBL

TRMBL  
TRMBL





IT IS  
HARD TO  
BELIEVE,  
BUT IT IS  
TRUE.

THE  
PRINCESS  
ATTESTS TO  
IT HERSELF,  
BUT THERE  
WERE  
OTHER  
WITNESSES.



ON  
THE FINAL  
NIGHT OF  
KING  
SINBAD'S  
VISIT, WE  
HELD A  
FAREWELL  
BANQUET.



I WILL  
TELL  
YOU THE  
PRINCESS'S  
STORY.

UWP ...?!



AS  
MORNING  
DAWNED  
...



...AND  
WHEN SHE  
LOOKED  
BESIDE  
HER...



...THE  
PRINCESS  
FOUND  
HERSELF  
IN BED...





Night 84:

# Kogyoku and Sinbad



HAVING  
SURVIVED  
MANY  
DANGEROUS  
ADVENTURES,  
I NOW FACE  
MY GREATEST  
THREAT.

I AM  
SINBAD,  
KING OF  
SINDRIA.



FIGHT  
ME!!  
IF YOU  
REFUSE,  
I'LL DIE!!

YOU  
DEFILED  
A  
PRINCESS  
OF THE  
KOU  
EMPIRE!!

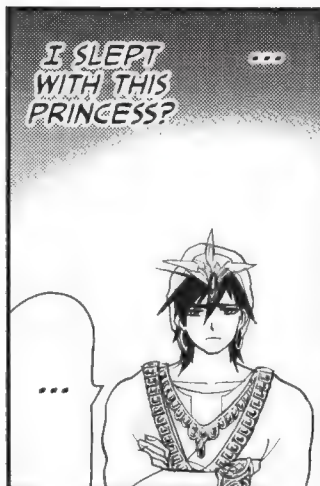


I SLEPT  
WITH THIS  
PRINCESS?

TRMBL  
TRMBL

Waaah!  
Poor,  
Princess!

I'LL KILL  
YOU AND  
THEN  
DIE  
MYSELF!!!





WOULD THE  
CONQUEROR  
OF THE SEVEN  
SEAS GET  
DRUNK AND DO  
SUCH A THING?

(IT HAS  
HAPPENED  
BEFORE,  
BUT...)

SORRY, BUT  
I DON'T  
REMEMBER.



AND I HAVE  
NO INTENTION  
OF EVER  
MARRYING.

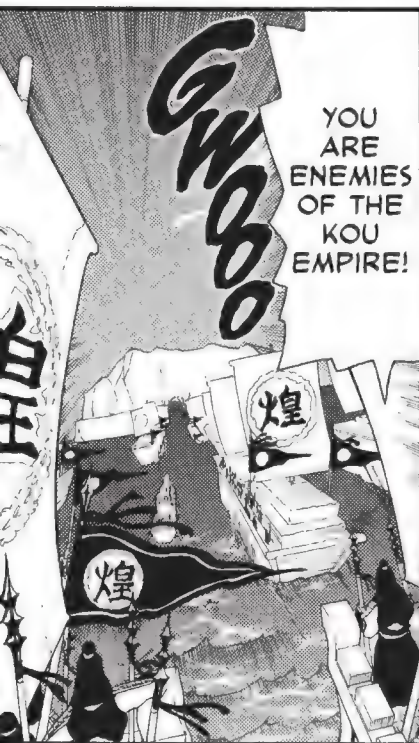


SHE'S A  
PRINCESS.  
WITHOUT A  
COMMITMENT  
TO MARRY,  
I WOULDN'T  
TOUCH HER!

BUT THIS  
TIME I  
DIDN'T!



YOU  
ARE  
ENEMIES  
OF THE  
KOU  
EMPIRE!



WHAT  
WOULD  
HAPPEN?



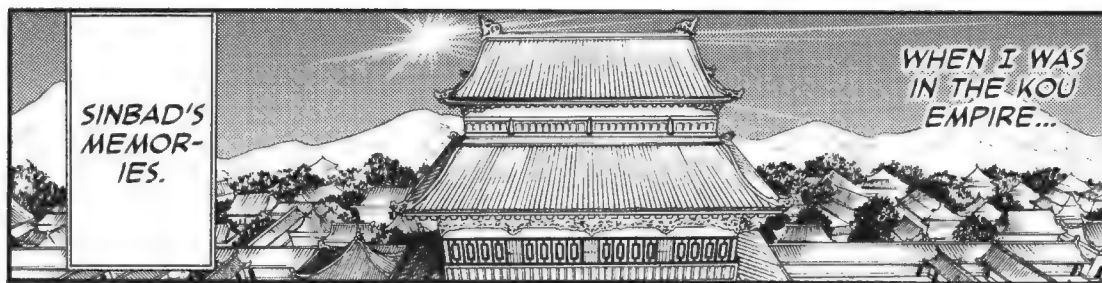
IF SINDRIA'S  
KING  
MISBEHAVED  
AND  
CAUSED THE  
PRINCESS'S  
SUICIDE...

THE EMPIRE  
CONTINUALLY  
THREATENS AND  
INVADES OTHER  
NATIONS, SO IT  
WOULD MEAN...









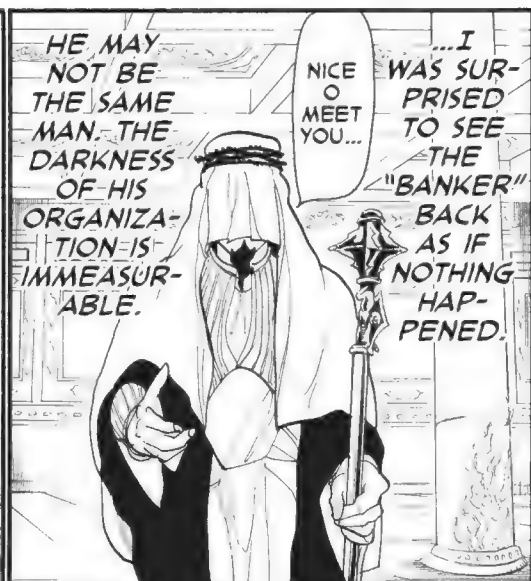
SINBAD'S  
MEMOR-  
IES.

WHEN I WAS  
IN THE KOU  
EMPIRE...



HAS HE  
EXPERIENCED  
A CHANGE OF  
HEART?

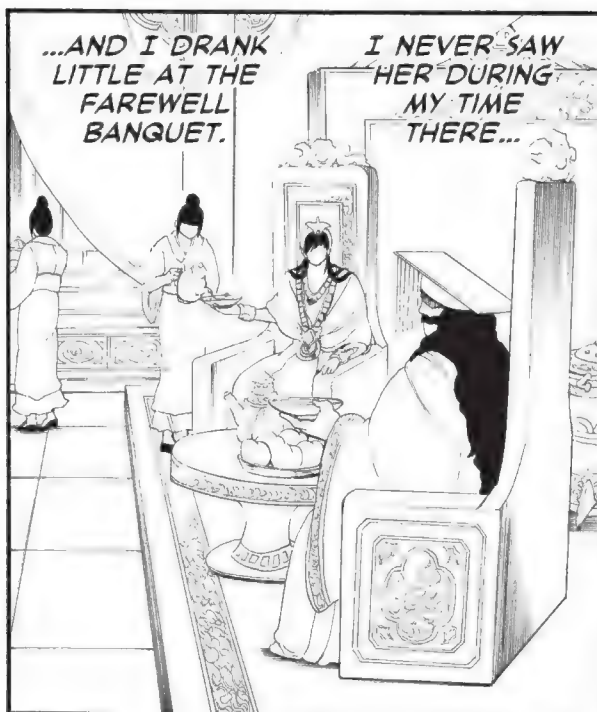
JUDAR  
WAS  
THERE  
TOO,  
BUT HE  
NEVER  
SPOKE  
TO ME.



HE MAY  
NOT BE  
THE SAME  
MAN. THE  
DARKNESS  
OF HIS  
ORGANIZA-  
TION IS  
IMMEASUR-  
ABLE.

NICE  
O  
MEET  
YOU...

...I  
WAS SUR-  
PRISED  
TO SEE  
THE  
"BANKER"  
BACK  
AS IF  
NOTHING  
HAP-  
PENED.



...AND I DRANK  
LITTLE AT THE  
FAREWELL  
BANQUET.

I NEVER SAW  
HER DURING  
MY TIME  
THERE...



THE  
PROBLEM  
IS THE  
PRINCESS.

BUT THAT  
DOESN'T  
MATTER  
NOW.

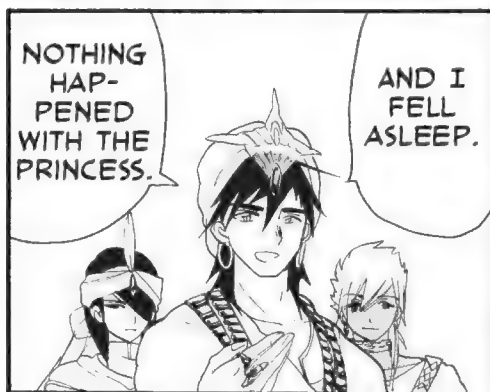


HE  
WASN'T  
EVEN TIPSY  
WHEN WE  
TOOK HIM  
TO HIS  
ROOM.



THAT'S  
RIGHT...

YEAH, HE  
WASN'T  
DRUNK AT  
ALL.



NOTHING  
HAP-  
PENED  
WITH THE  
PRINCESS.

AND I  
FELL  
ASLEEP.



ALL THE  
TIME!

YES!



I DON'T  
REMEM-  
BER  
THAT...

THEN WHY  
WAS I  
IN YOUR  
ROOM  
THE NEXT  
MORNING?!



DO YOU  
UNDRESS  
IN YOUR  
SLEEP?!

AND  
WHY  
WERE  
YOU  
NAKED  
?!



BE  
SERIOUS  
!!



NOW  
YOU'RE  
GONNA  
HEAR  
MY  
STORY!!



AND QUIT  
PLAYING  
INNOCENT!

PLIP  
PLIP

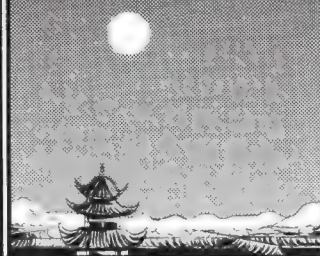
YOU HAD  
NOT  
VISITED  
ME, SO I  
WANTED  
TO SEE  
YOUR  
FACE.



...I  
WATCHED  
THE  
BANQUET  
FROM  
AFAR.

ON THE  
LAST  
NIGHT...

KO-  
GYOKU'S  
MEMOR-  
IES.





THEN I  
RETURNED  
TO MY ROOM.



I STILL HADN'T  
SPOKEN TO  
YOU WHEN  
THE BANQUET  
ENDED.



SOS



MMPH  
?!

GRAB



I RAN  
OUT AND  
FOUND  
A COURT  
LADY.

KYAAH!  
THE  
NEXT  
THING I  
KNEW,  
I WOKE  
UP IN  
SINBAD'S  
ROOM.



SOMEONE  
ATTACKED  
ME AND I  
PASSED OUT.

THUD

GRAB





...BUT HE DID NOT WANT HER TO REMEMBER, SO...

KING SINBAD NOTICED KOGYOKU'S INTEREST AND WANTED TO FOOL AROUND...



YES. THAT IS WHAT IT MEANS!

WHICH MUST MEAN...



THUD

THOK

GRAB



MWA  
HA  
HA  
HA  
HA

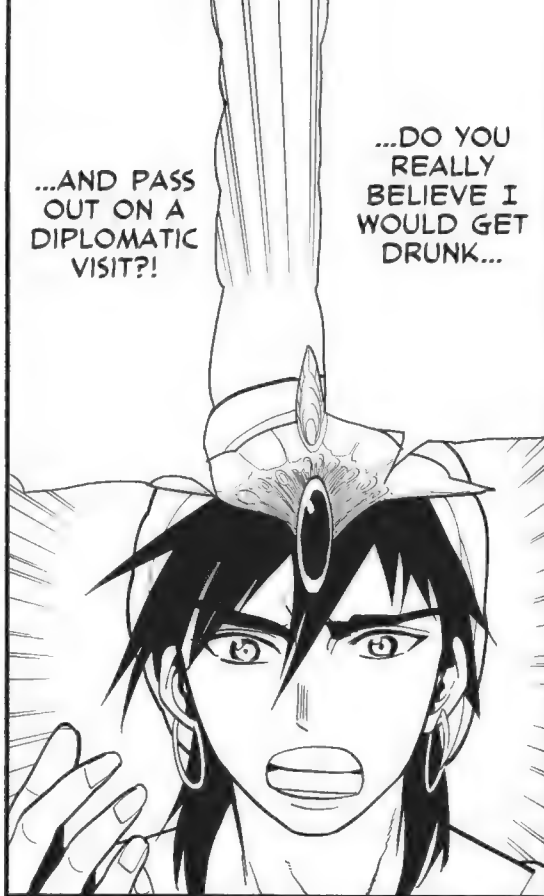
...HE KNOCKED HER OUT FIRST!



AWFUL IN-DEED.

HAVE MORE FAITH IN YOUR KING!

Aieeee!  
Oh no, that's awful!!



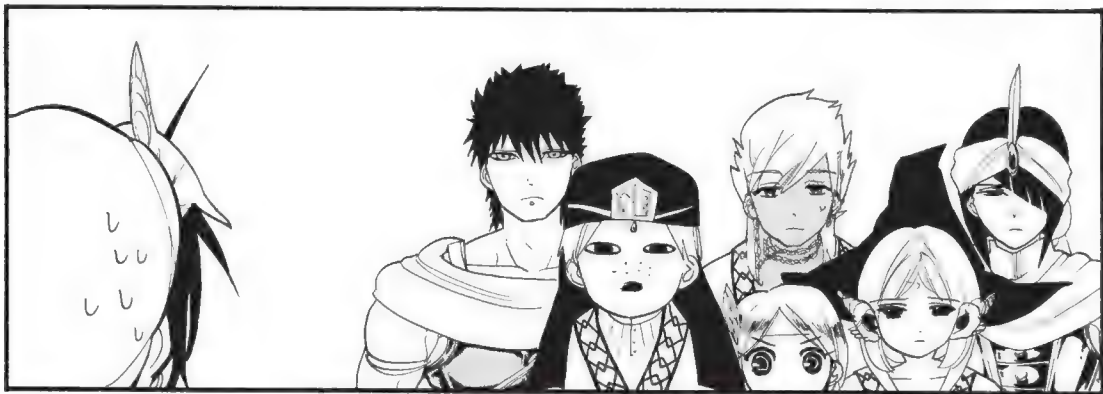
...AND PASS  
OUT ON A  
DIPLOMATIC  
VISIT?!

...DO YOU  
REALLY  
BELIEVE I  
WOULD GET  
DRUNK...



URGH.

WHATEVER  
SHE MIGHT  
SAY...



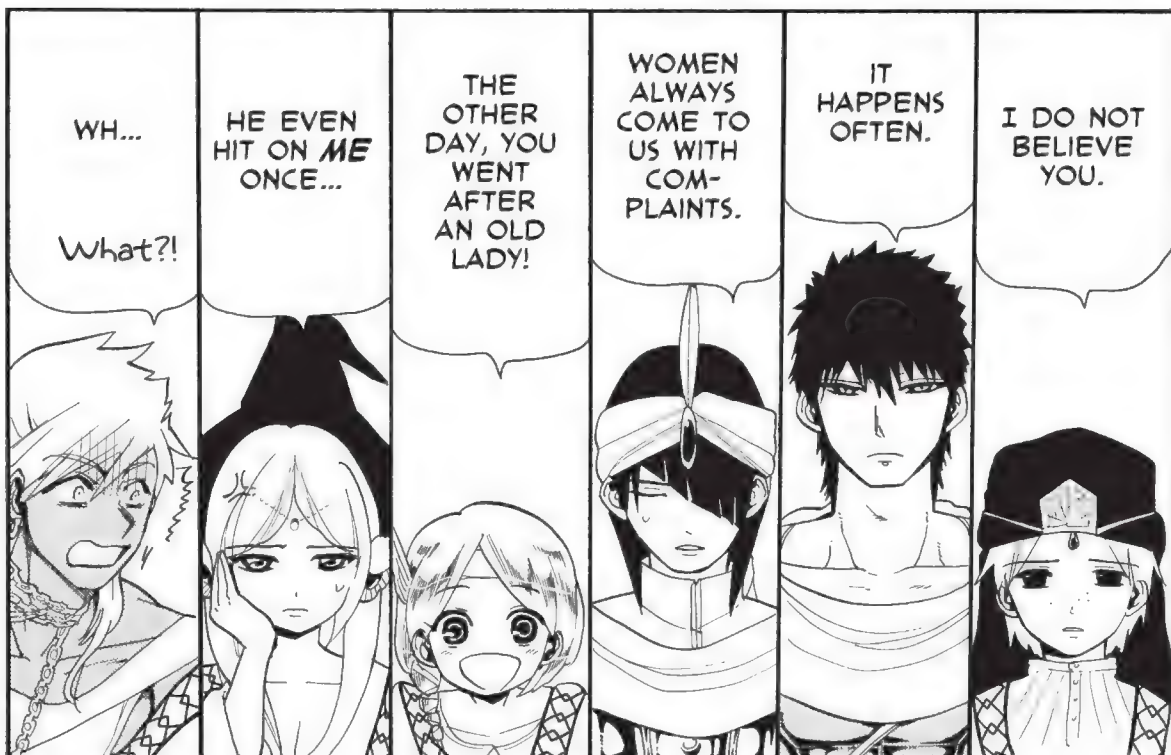
ON  
NUMEROUS  
OCCASIONS...  
YOU HAVE  
FALLEN  
INTO  
DRUNKEN  
STUPORS.

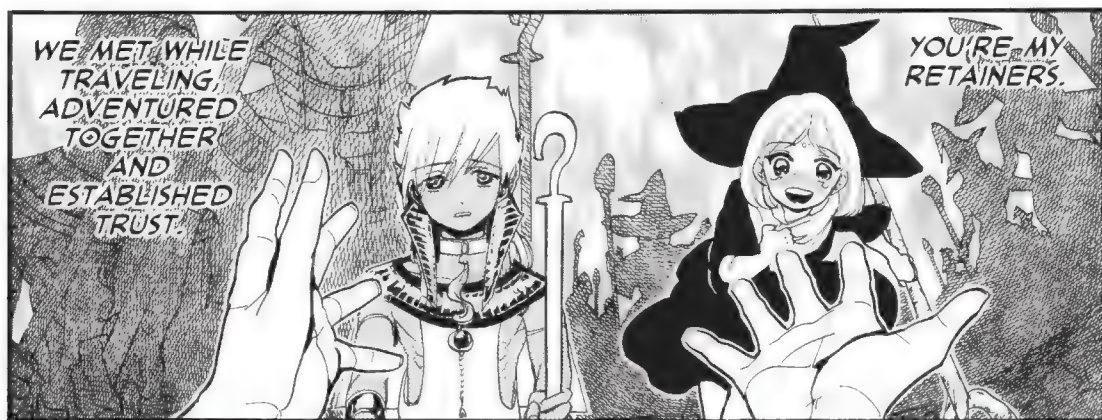


WE RESPECT  
YOU, BUT YOU  
HAVE NO  
CREDIBILITY  
WHEN IT COMES  
TO ALCOHOL.

YES.













...BY  
**MARRYING**  
HER!!

...YOU  
MUST  
TAKE  
RESPONSIBILITY...

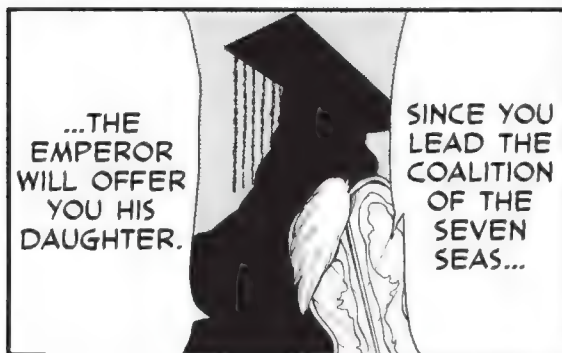


THE  
CONJUGAL  
ACT HAS  
TARNISHED  
HER HONOR.

YES.



**?!**



...THE  
EMPEROR  
WILL OFFER  
YOU HIS  
DAUGHTER.

SINCE YOU  
LEAD THE  
COALITION  
OF THE  
SEVEN  
SEAS...

**MARRIAGE**  
**?!**







...WE ARE  
UNANIMOUS!

KING  
SINBAD...



ENOUGH  
OF THIS!

I  
SHOULDN'T  
HAVE  
EXPECTED  
YOU TO  
BELIEVE  
ME!

GRAAH!!



USE YOUR  
POWER TO  
PROVE MY  
INNOCENCE!

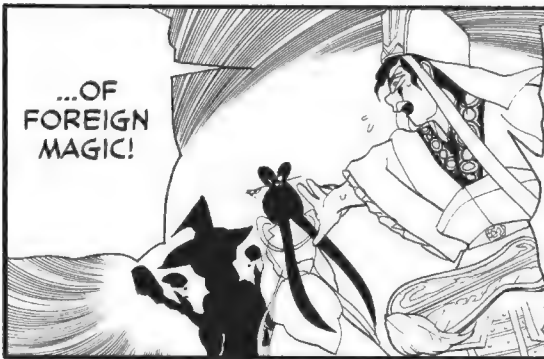
YAM-  
RAIHA  
!!







I WILL  
USE MY  
MAGIC.



...OF  
FOREIGN  
MAGIC!

N-NO!  
PRINCESS!!  
DO NOT  
FALL UNDER  
THE SPELL...



?!!



HMF

...



PRIN-  
CESS!!!



I WANT  
TO KNOW  
WHAT  
REALLY  
HAPPENED!

NO, I  
MUST  
DO  
THIS!



WATER  
PUPPET  
PLAY  
OF  
TRUTH!!



SUMMARY:

KING SINBAD  
STANDS ACCUSED  
OF SLEEPING WITH  
PRINCESS KOGYOKU  
DURING HIS STAY IN  
THE KOU EMPIRE.  
YAMRAIHA IS USING  
HER MAGIC TO  
DETERMINE THE  
TRUTH.



...AND  
I HAVE  
CAST  
MY  
MAGIC  
OVER  
IT.

THEY EACH  
ADDED A  
DROP OF  
BLOOD  
CONTAINING  
THEIR  
RUKH...

THAT  
WATER  
LOOKS  
LIKE  
MISTER  
SINBAD  
AND  
THE  
PRIN-  
CESS!!

THIS IS **SEER  
MAGIC.**  
THE RUKH  
CAN TELL  
US WHAT  
HAPPENED  
FAR AWAY  
IN TIME OR  
SPACE.

WE WILL  
RECREATE  
THE  
EVENTS  
OF THAT  
NIGHT.



THIS  
MAGIC  
DOES  
NOT  
LIE.

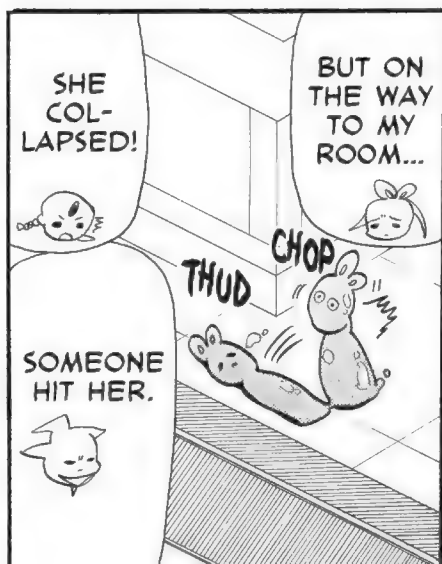
OH NO!  
OH NO!  
OH NO!

IT'S A  
MODEL  
OF THE  
IMPERIAL  
PALACE.  
I CAN'T  
RECREATE  
PLACES, SO  
I HAD IT  
MADE.

Okay.  
Okay.

... This  
goes  
here.

WHAT'S  
THIS  
LITTLE  
HOUSE?



SHE  
COL-  
LAPSED!

BUT ON  
THE WAY  
TO MY  
ROOM...

THUD  
CHOP

SOMEONE  
HIT HER.



HE'S  
SLEEPING.

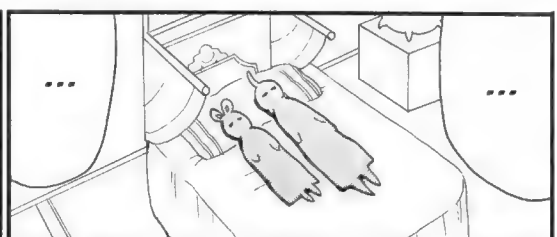
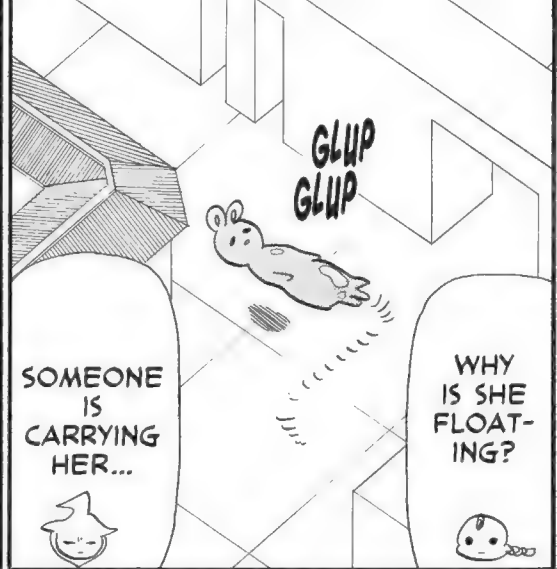
WHAT'S  
MISTER  
SINBAD  
DOING?



SHE'S  
IN THE  
BANQUET  
HALL.

WHAT  
ABOUT  
THE  
PRINCESS?







I  
DIDN'T  
DO  
ANY-  
THING!!!

SEE?!  
I  
TOLD  
YOU!!!



!

EED

PRIN-  
CESS!



...

AS YOU  
CAN SEE,  
YOUR  
HONOR  
REMAINS  
INTACT.



PRIN-  
CESS!!!

R-  
RIGHT  
...



YOU  
REALLY  
HURT MY  
FEELINGS!

DAMNED  
RIGHT!

OUR  
APOLO-  
GIES!!

SORRY!  
SORRY  
!!

Previous  
record

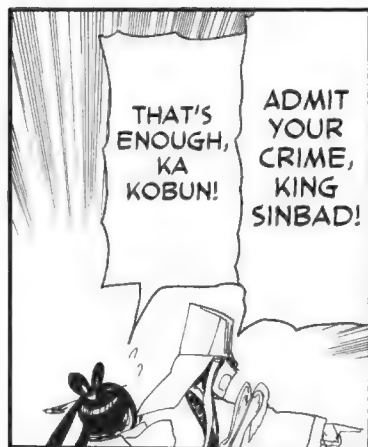
Shoving  
aside





KA  
KOBUN!

DO NOT  
LET THEM  
FOOL  
YOU!



THAT'S  
ENOUGH,  
KA  
KOBUN!

ADMIT  
YOUR  
CRIME,  
KING  
SINBAD!



SHE IS KING  
SINBAD'S  
SERVANT!  
SHE MAY BE  
COVERING FOR  
HIM!

SUSPICIOUS  
AND  
FOREIGN  
MAGIC  
PROVES  
NOTHING!

I AM  
NOT!



THAT  
MORNING,  
MY CLOTHES  
AND HAIR  
WERE IN  
PLACE.



I  
APOLO-  
GIZE.

BUT I WAS  
SCARED AND  
MADE A  
FUSS. LATER,  
I WAS TOO  
EMBAR-  
RASSED TO  
MENTION IT.



I  
THOUGHT  
IT WAS  
STRANGE  
MYSELF...

I  
BELIEVE  
THE  
MAGIC.



NO...  
PRINCESS!  
DON'T  
CRY!

SNIFF  
SNIFF

SOB

BUSH

H  
M  
M  
M  
M  
M  
??



AND  
ALMOST  
STARTED  
A WAR!

BUT  
**SOMEONE**  
KNOCKED  
HER OUT  
AND PUT  
HER BY  
THE KING!



LOOKS  
THAT  
WAY...

THEY'RE  
FEELING  
SORRY  
FOR  
**HER?!!**

WAAH  
WAAH  
WAAH



...  
...SUCH A  
DASTARDLY  
THING?

BUT  
WHO  
WOULD  
DO...

WAAH  
WAAH  
WAAH



I ATTEND  
KOGYOKU  
REN, EIGHTH  
PRINCESS  
OF THE KOU  
EMPIRE.

MY NAME  
IS KA  
KOBUN.



I HAVE SERVED  
THE PRINCESS  
EVER SINCE.  
WE HAVE EVEN  
CAPTURED  
DUNGEONS  
TOGETHER.

I PASSED  
THE TEST  
TO BE A  
GOVERN-  
MENT  
OFFICIAL  
WITH OUT-  
STANDING  
MARKS.

I WAS  
BORN IN A  
NORTHERN  
PROVINCE  
OF THE  
EMPIRE.



MY DEAR  
PRINCESS  
WHOM  
I HAVE  
SERVED  
FOR  
YEARS IS  
UPSET...

THE POOR  
PRINCESS...

AND I WAS  
PART OF THIS  
INCIDENT.



...I  
AM THE  
GUILTY  
ONE.

...AND  
I...

WAAH  
WAAH

AS WE  
HOPED,  
SUSPICION  
FELL ON  
THE KING.

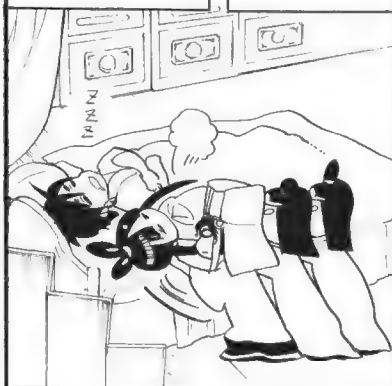
WE  
DELIV-  
ERED  
HER TO  
KING  
SINBAD'S  
ROOM.

...AND  
RENDER  
HER  
UNCON-  
SCIOUS.

I SEIZED  
THAT  
MOMENT  
TO STRIKE  
HER  
NECK...

...TWO  
SERVANTS  
WALKED  
WITH THE  
PRINCESS  
TOWARD  
HER  
ROOM.

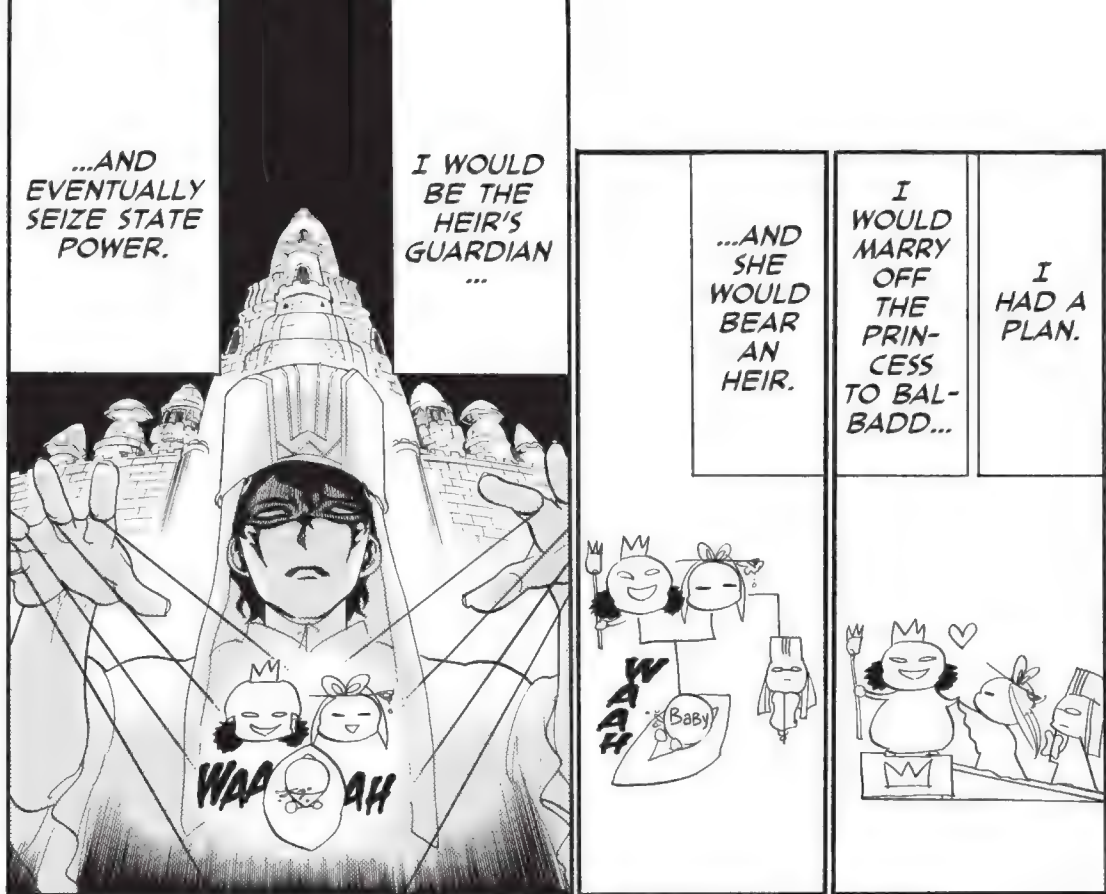
THAT  
NIGHT  
...



WAAH  
WAAH

THERE IS  
A REASON  
FOR WHAT  
I DID.







THIS  
TIME, I  
WOULD  
USE  
HIM.



TWO  
BIRDS  
WITH  
ONE  
STONE.

IT MAY  
BE  
HARD  
FOR  
HER  
NOW,  
BUT SHE  
CAN  
MARRY  
THE  
MAN SHE  
LIKES.

...ONLY IN  
SINDRIA  
INSTEAD  
OF  
BALBADD.

I COULD  
MARRY  
OFF THE  
PRINCESS  
AND  
ASSUME  
CONTROL  
...

WAA AH



MANIPU-  
LATING  
THE  
HUMAN  
HEART.

...IS READING  
OTHERS'  
EMOTIONS  
AND USING  
THEM.

...I  
WANTED  
TO FALL IN  
LOVE.

MY  
GREAT-  
EST  
ABILITY...



THESE  
TWO ARE  
COM-  
PLETELY  
LOYAL  
TO ME.



THUS HAVE  
I CREATED  
MANY ALLIES.  
MY SERVANTS  
MOVE  
ACCORDING  
TO MY WILL.

WAAH  
WAAH  
WAAH

I WILL  
MAKE  
KING  
SINBAD  
MARRY  
YOU!



DO  
NOT  
BE SO  
TROU-  
BLED!

UMMM



PRIN-  
CESS!

WE DID THIS  
TOGETHER.  
MAGIC ALMOST  
REVEALED IT,  
BUT I THINK  
WE CAN SEE IT  
THROUGH.



...I WILL  
MAKE IT  
HAPPEN!



THIS  
TIME...

WAAH  
WAAH  
WAAH



SORRY,  
BUT KA  
KOBUN  
DID IT  
ALL!

WHAT?!



We've had enough!

WE  
SERVE  
HER,  
NOT  
YOU!

WE FEEL  
SORRY  
FOR THE  
PRINCESS!!

HUH?!! YOU  
FOOLS!! DON'T  
YOU WANT  
PROMOTION?!!



OH  
NO!

GLEAM

HE'S  
GOING  
TO  
RESIST!



HAH! YOU  
THINK YOU  
CAN TAKE  
ME?!

SHAR



SHING

SEIZE  
THE  
TRAITOR  
WHO  
FRAMED  
KING  
SINBAD!



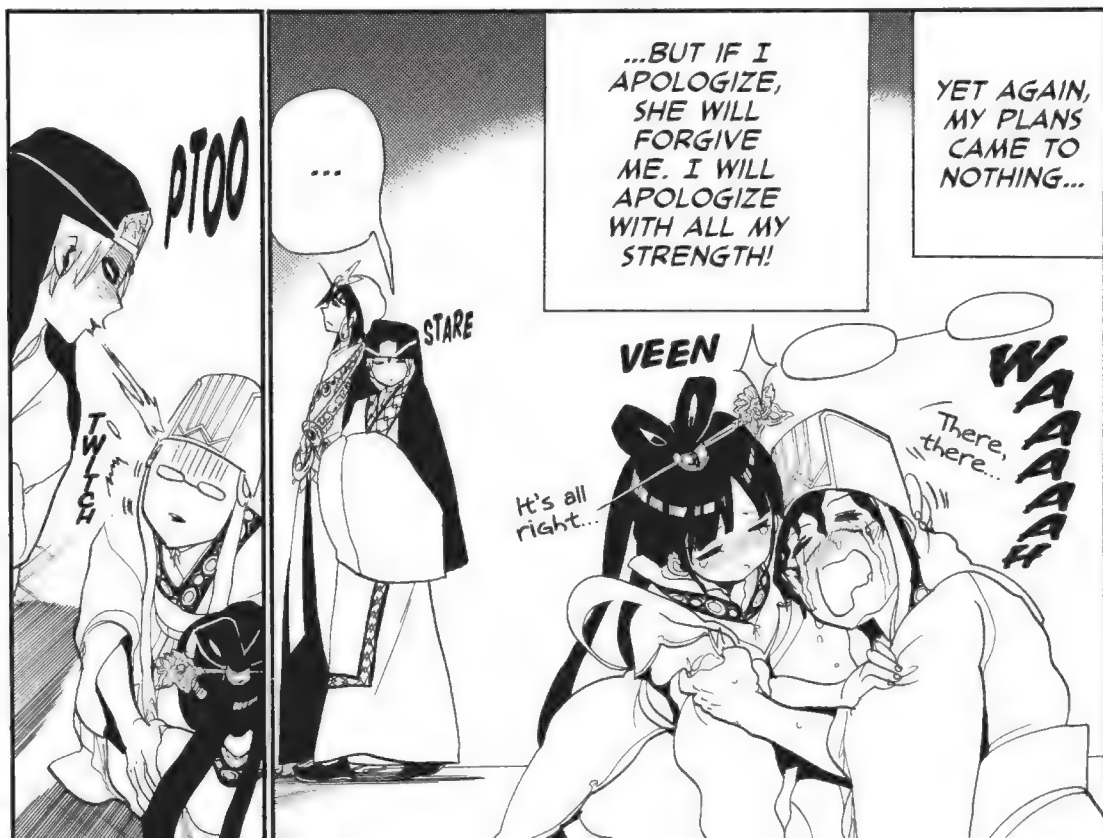
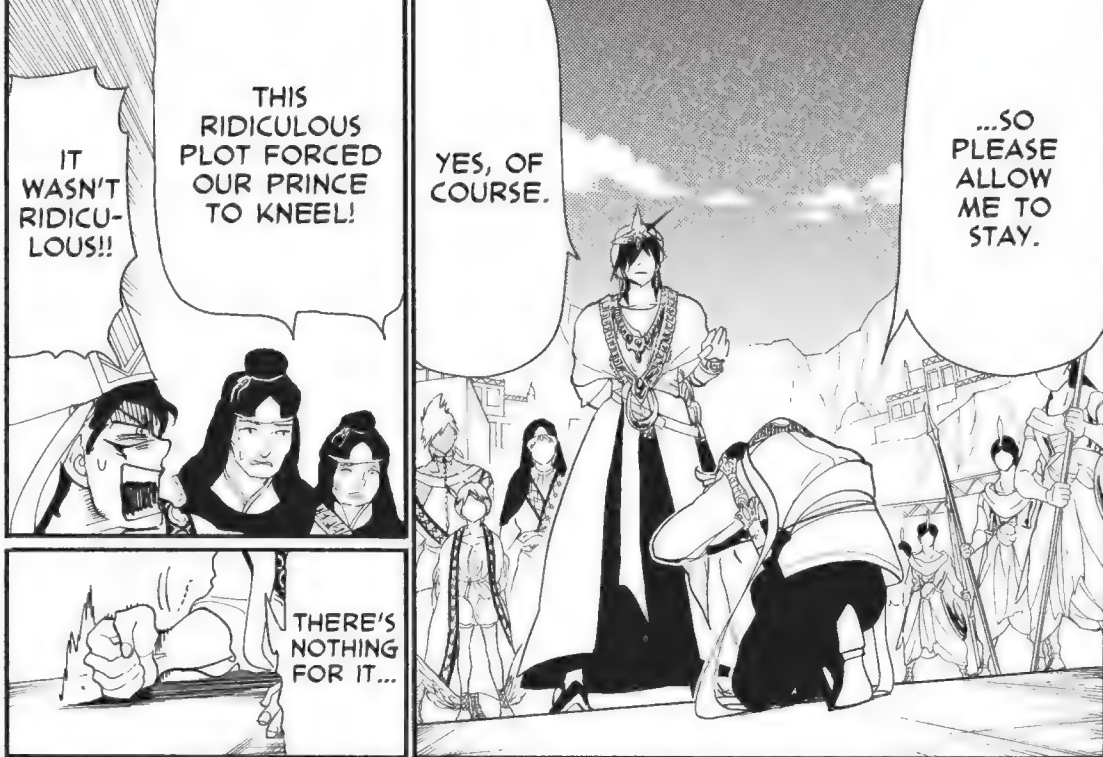
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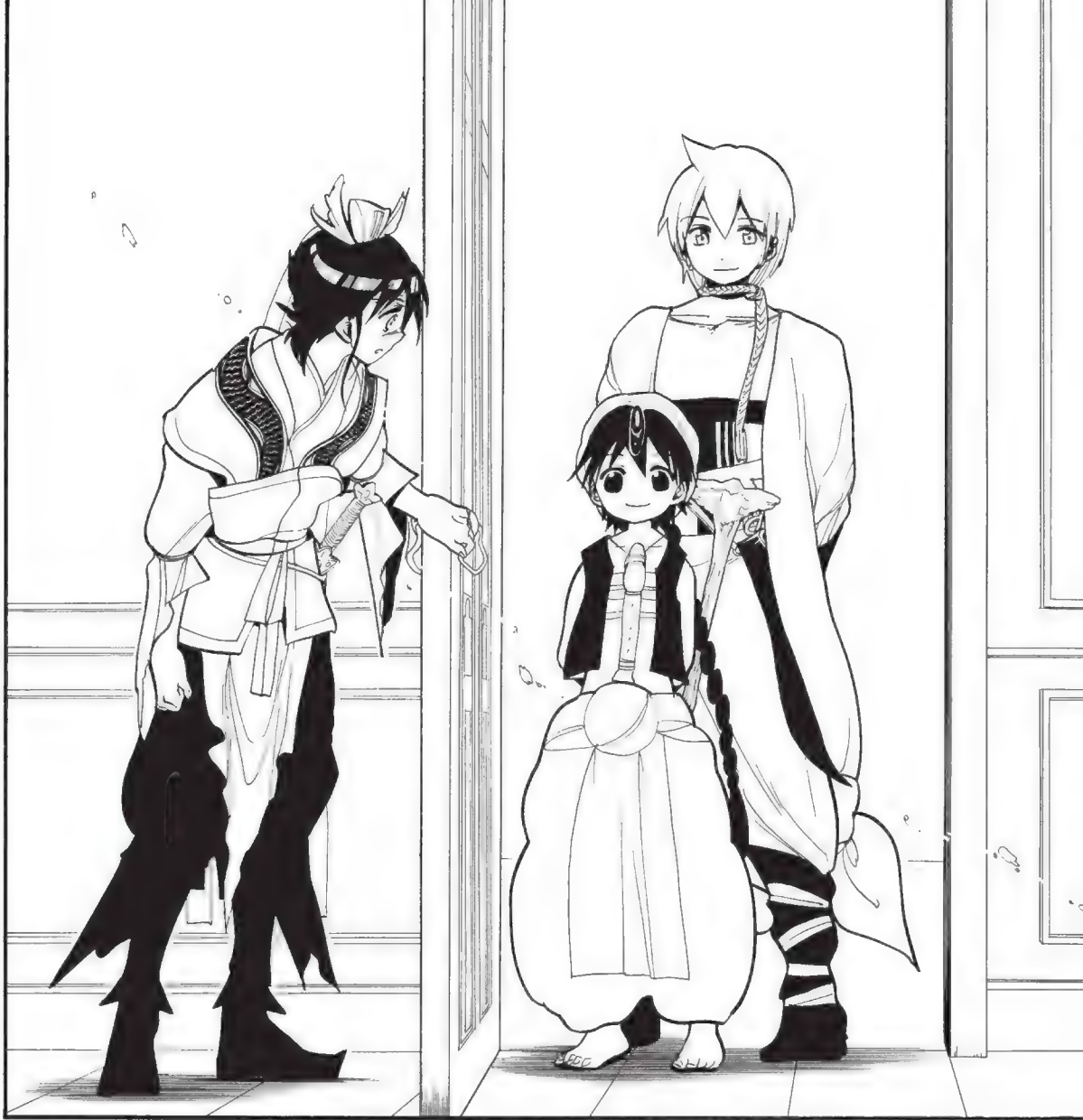






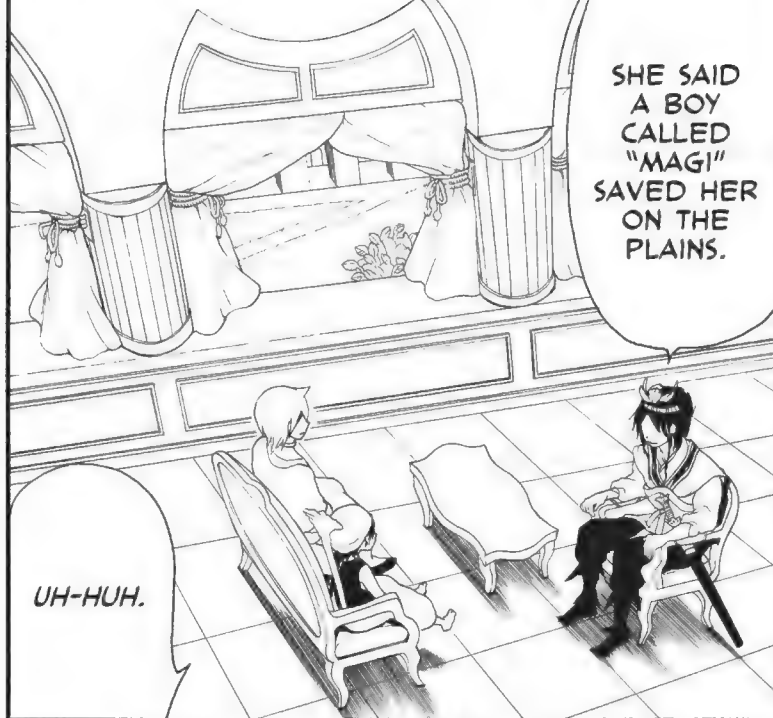












SHE SAID  
A BOY  
CALLED  
"MAGI"  
SAVED HER  
ON THE  
PLAINS.

UH-HUH.



YES.

WHEN  
HAKUEI  
RETURNED  
FROM THE  
WEST, SHE  
TOLD ME  
ABOUT YOU.



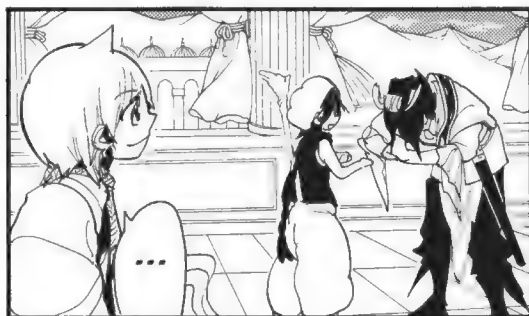
...ALLOW  
ME TO  
THANK  
YOU.

CHAK  
LORD  
ALAD-  
DIN...



YEAH!

DOES HE  
MEAN THE  
KOUGA  
YOU MEN-  
TIONED?



...



THANK  
YOU FOR  
SAVING  
HER LIFE.

HAKUEI  
IS MY  
BE-  
LOVED  
SISTER.



I  
WORRIED  
WHAT HE  
WOULD  
BE  
LIKE...

HMM  
...







I WANTED TO  
MEET YOU AS  
MUCH AS I  
WANTED TO  
MEET KING  
SINBAD.



...?

...  
LISTEN  
TO  
YOU?



...KING  
SINBAD  
SUMMONS  
YOU.

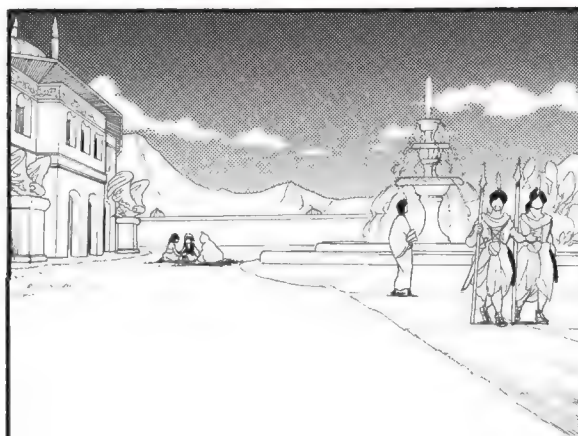
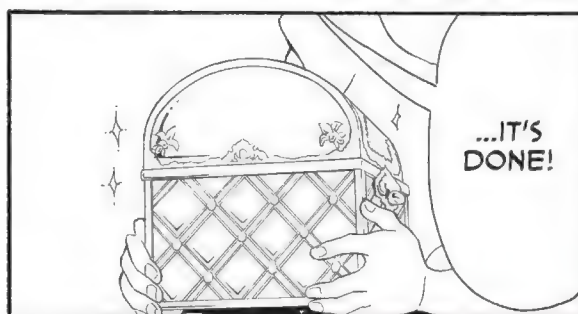
MY  
PRINCE  
...

NOK  
NOK

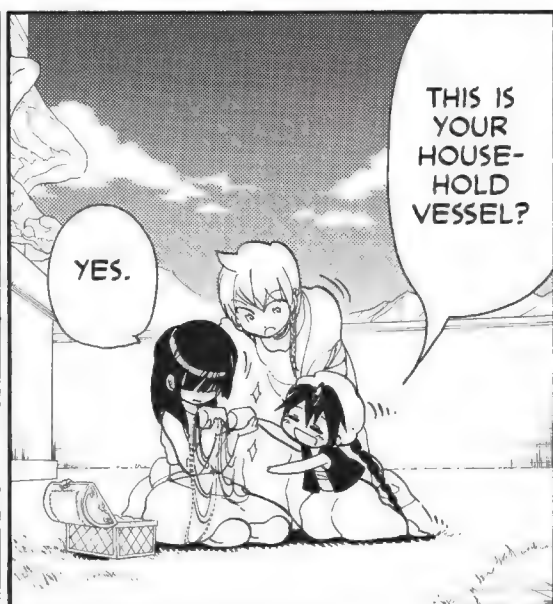
PLEASE  
LISTEN TO  
ME, LORD  
MAGI.





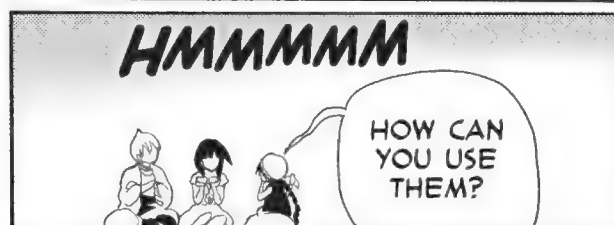
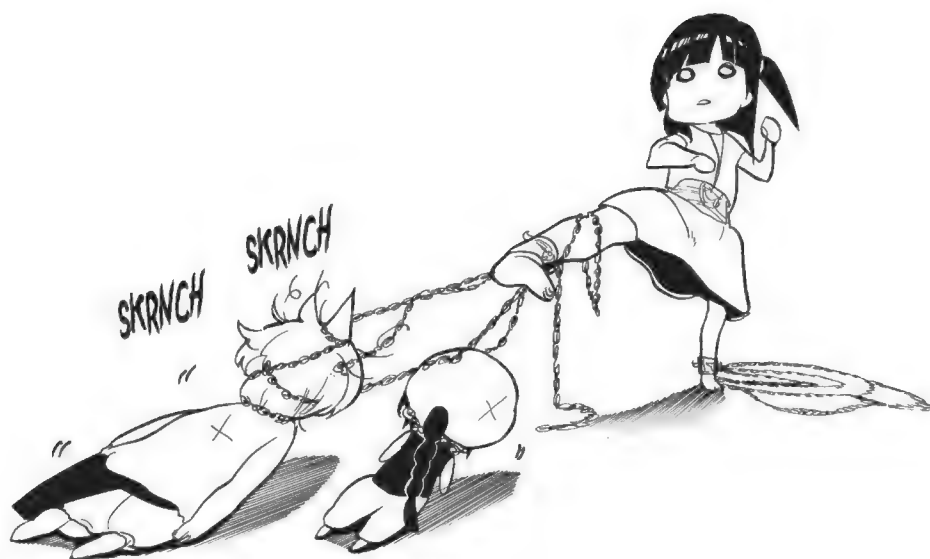
















YOU  
CARRIED  
ALIBABA  
AND  
MISTER  
SINBAD  
WITH  
LEAPS  
AND  
BOUNDS!



AND  
HELPED  
ME IN  
MIDAIR!



YOU THREW  
ME UP IN  
THE AIR!

It  
was  
scary!

WITHOUT  
YOU, I  
COULDN'T  
HAVE  
FOUGHT AN  
AIRBORNE  
OPPONENT!

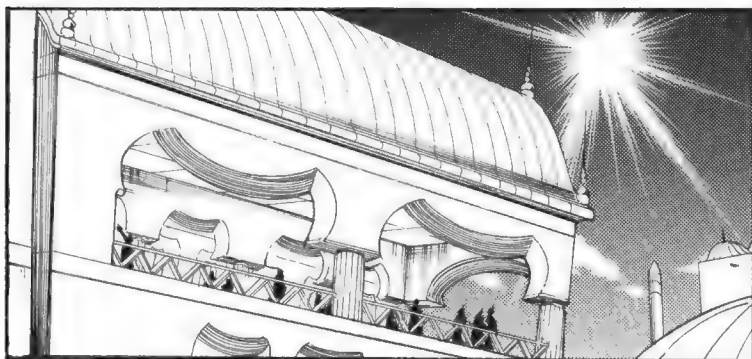


...IT'S  
LIKE  
WE'VE  
GOT  
WINGS!



WITH YOU  
AROUND...











THIS AREA  
IS FOR  
VISITORS  
FROM  
OTHER  
COUNTRIES.

USE IT  
FREELY!



IT'S  
OFTEN  
IN USE.  
SINDRIA  
HAS MANY  
VISITORS.

TRAIN IN  
MARTIAL  
ARTS AT  
**SILVER  
SCORPIO  
TOWER.**



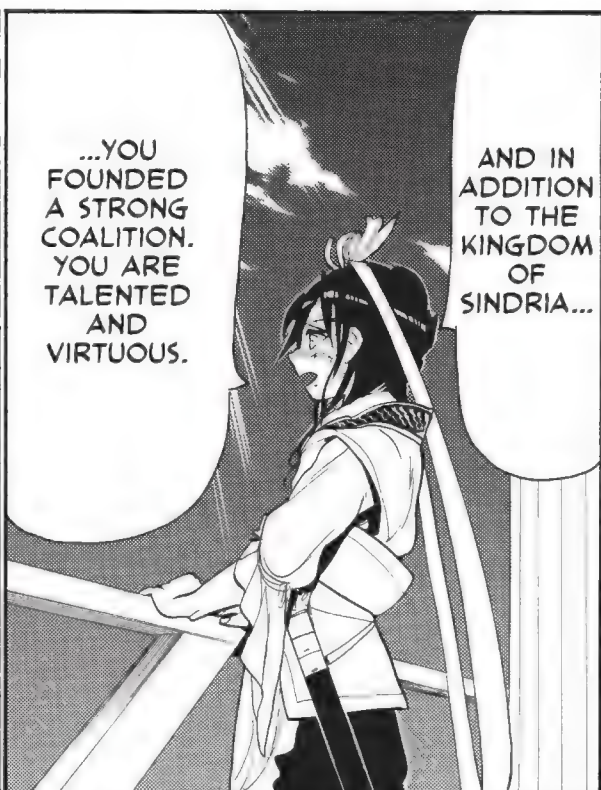
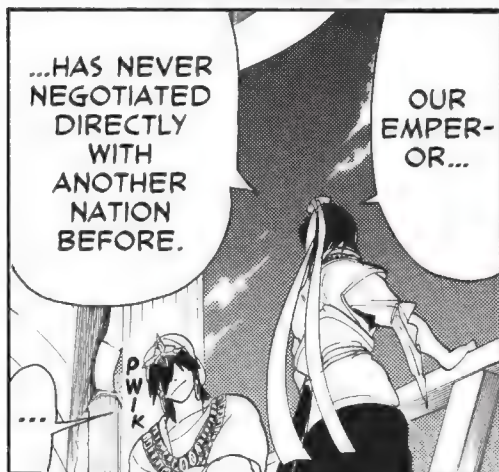
ENJOY  
DIALOGUE  
WITH PUPILS  
YOUR OWN  
AGE FROM  
OTHER  
CULTURES.

TO  
EXPAND  
YOUR  
MIND,  
TRY THE  
**BLACK  
LIBRA  
TOWER**  
FOR  
SCHOLARS.

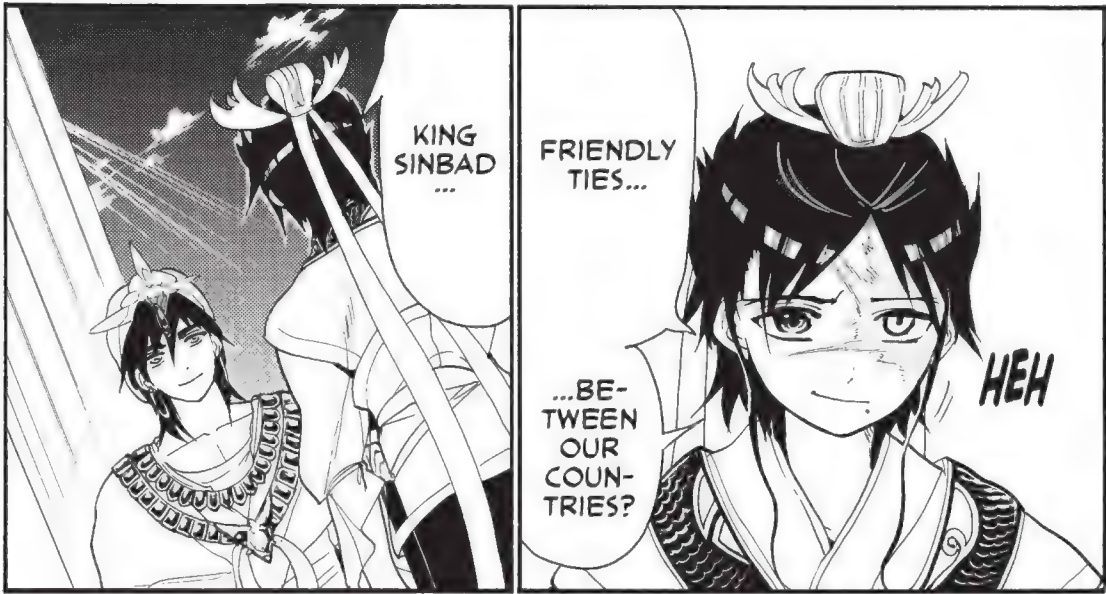
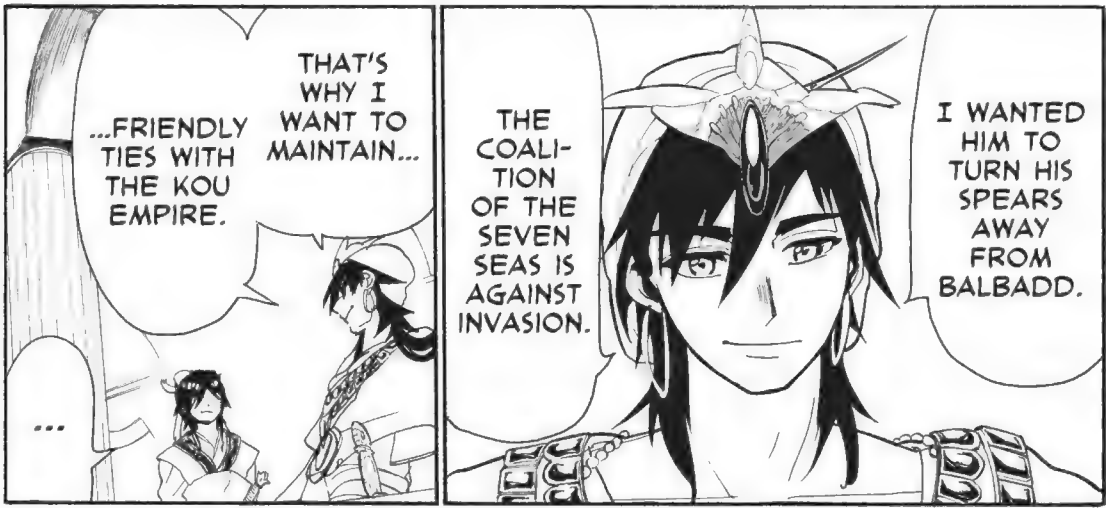


THAT'S  
WHY I  
WANT TO  
SPEAK  
WITH YOU.

WOW... IN  
JUST ONE  
GENERATION,  
YOU HAVE  
CREATED A  
MAGNIFICENT  
KINGDOM.









YOU  
ARE  
LYING.



IN TRUTH,  
YOU DO  
NOT LIKE  
THE KOU  
EMPIRE.

"FRIENDLY  
TIES" ARE  
JUST A  
FRONT.



...

SMILE



...SO  
SINDRIA  
MUST BE  
WARY  
OF ITS  
AGGRES-  
SION.

YOU  
THINK IT  
NEED-  
LESSLY  
SPREADS  
THE FIRES  
OF WAR...




?!



A man with dark hair, a crown with a central gem, and ornate robes with a ruffled collar. He is holding a small cup in his right hand. The background shows an interior setting with architectural details.

...ARE YOU TRYING TO SAY?

EXACTLY WHAT...

A man with dark hair, a crown with a central gem, and ornate robes with a ruffled collar. He is holding a small cup in his right hand. The background shows an interior setting with architectural details.

I CAME HERE SO YOU MAY UNDERSTAND MY PURPOSE.

DO NOT MISUNDERSTAND. I DO NOT SEEK CONFLICT WITH YOU.

A man with dark hair, a crown with a central gem, and ornate robes with a ruffled collar. He is holding a small cup in his right hand. The background shows an interior setting with architectural details.

AND WHAT IS YOUR PURPOSE?

...

**...THE  
KOU  
EMPIRE.**

**TO  
DE-  
STROY  
...**







## Night 87: Two Princes









I LOOK  
FORWARD  
TO OUR  
TIME  
TOGETHER!

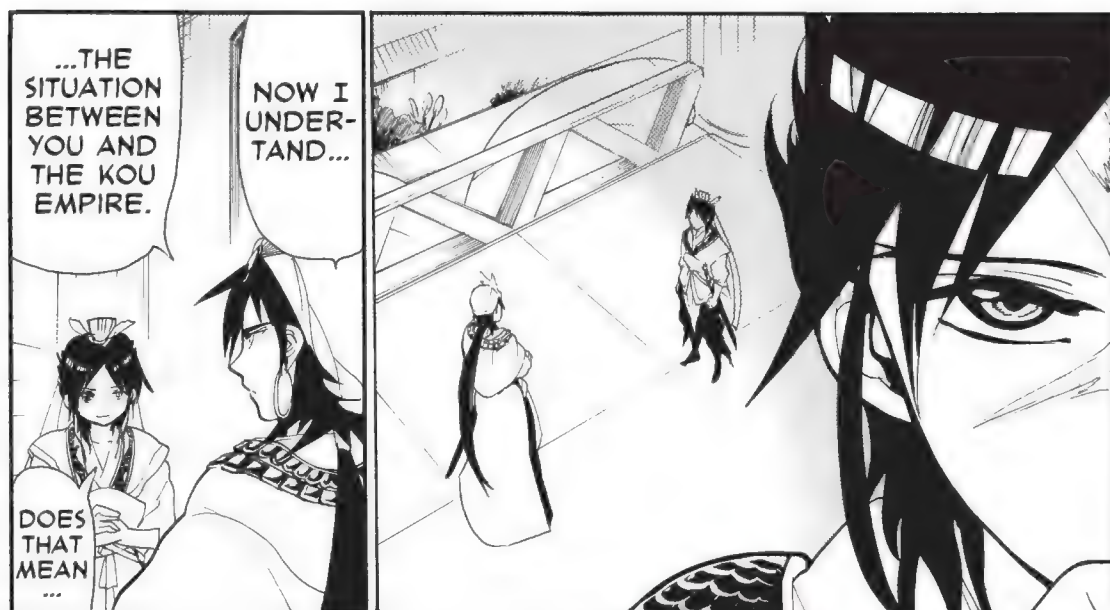
HE TOLD  
ME TO  
WAIT UPON  
AND LEARN  
FROM YOU.



I  
WONDER  
WHY?

Learn  
from  
us?

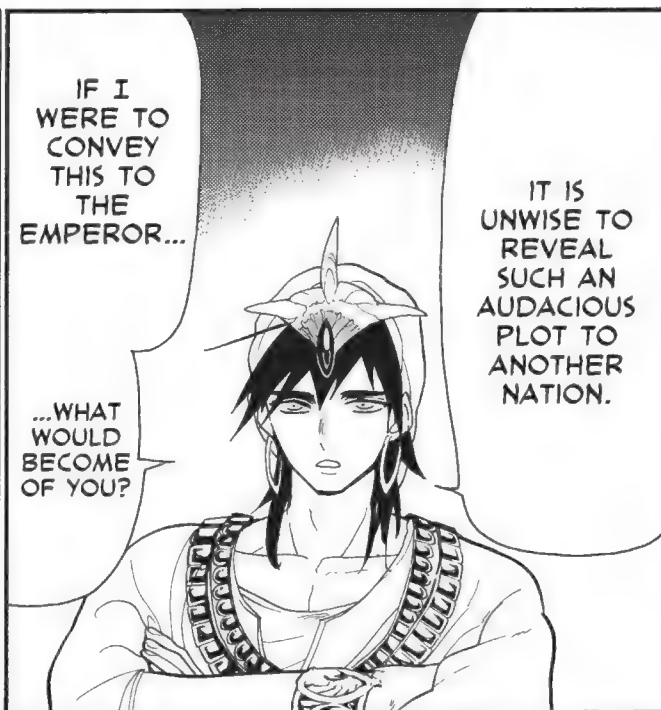
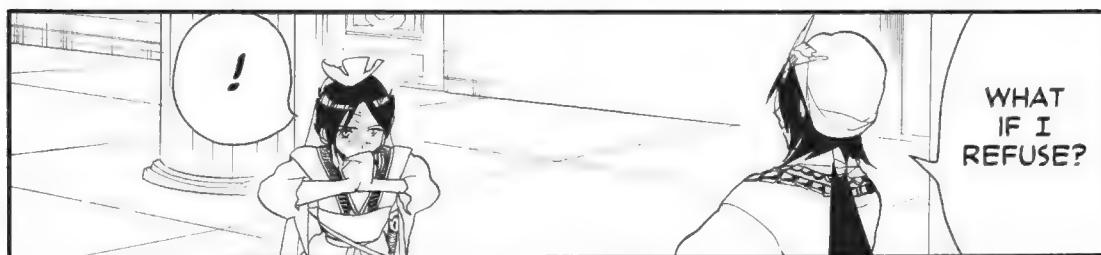
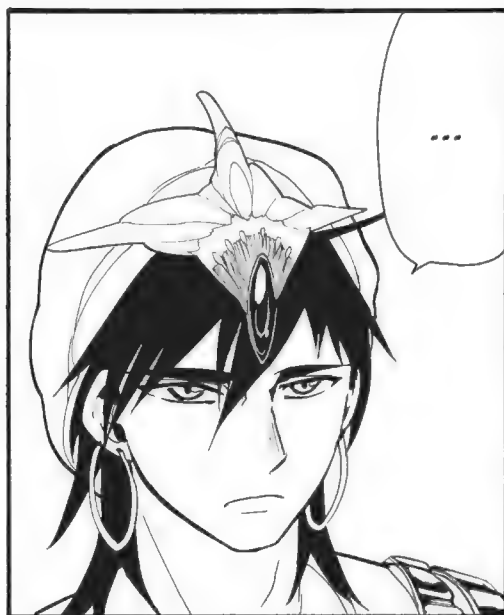
HUH?!



...THE  
SITUATION  
BETWEEN  
YOU AND  
THE KOU  
EMPIRE.

NOW I  
UNDER-  
TAND...

DOES  
THAT  
MEAN  
...





...SO I  
DECIDED  
TO KEEP  
NOTHING  
HIDDEN!

I AM  
PREPARED  
TO RISK  
MY LIFE  
FOR YOUR  
TRUST...

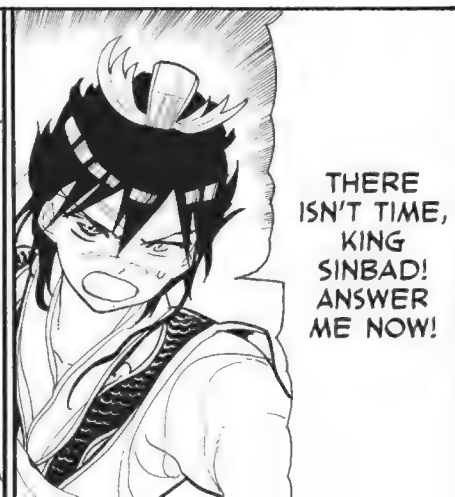


FIRST, GO  
OBSERVE  
THE  
COUNTRY.

BUT  
YOU'RE  
HERE  
TO  
STUDY.

UNDER-  
STOOD.

HMM...





...YOU  
MUST EN-  
LIGHTEN  
YOURSELF  
MORE.

IF YOU  
WISH TO  
CONTINUE  
THIS CONVERSA-  
TION...



...

...AND THE  
PEOPLE  
WHO LIVE  
THERE.

STUDY  
THE  
OUTSIDE  
WORLD...



AND YOU  
SHARE A  
CERTAIN  
CONNEC-  
TION.

HE  
WOULD  
BE A  
GOOD  
EXAMPLE  
FOR  
YOU.



...I WANT  
YOU TO  
MEET  
SOMEONE.

ALSO...

SMILE

WHO  
?



?!  
...  
...



"HE IS  
THE THIRD  
PRINCE OF  
BALBADD,  
WHICH  
YOUR  
EMPIRE  
NOW  
OCCUPIES!"

"HIS NAME  
IS ALIBABA  
'SALUJA."

VEEN

AND  
THIS IS  
ALIBABA?!

...BUT  
CAN'T  
WE  
GIVE IT  
A REST  
NOW?

Why  
the dirty  
looks?

A LOT  
HAPPENED  
IN  
BALBADD...

ALAD-  
DIN?

NOD

YEAH...

HEY,  
UMM...

...??

YEAH.  
LET'S  
FORGET  
THAT  
AND BE  
FRIENDS!

FIGHTING  
SOLVES  
NOTHING. IT  
WOULD JUST  
BOTHER  
MISTER  
SINBAD!

BUT HE'S  
GRAVEY  
WOUND

SWIP

GRAB

GRRR RRRIP

KRRNCH

SNAP POP

SOR-  
RY...

LOOK  
AT THIS  
BRUISE!!  
YOU LEFT  
A MARK!

Huff  
Huff

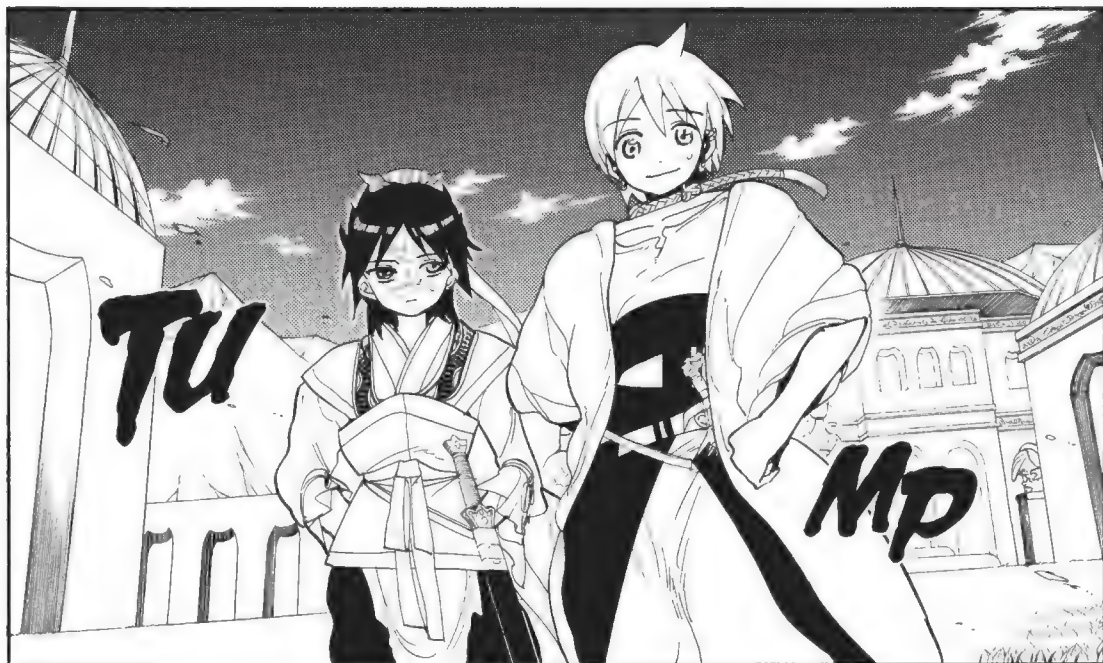
NO,  
YOU'RE  
HURTING  
ME!!

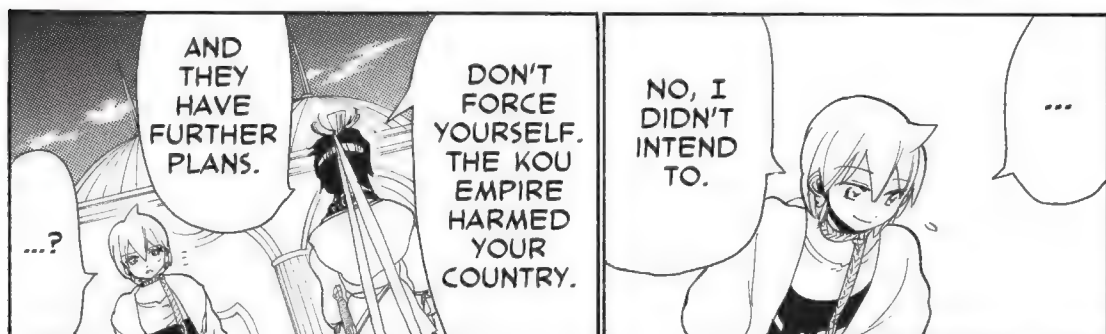
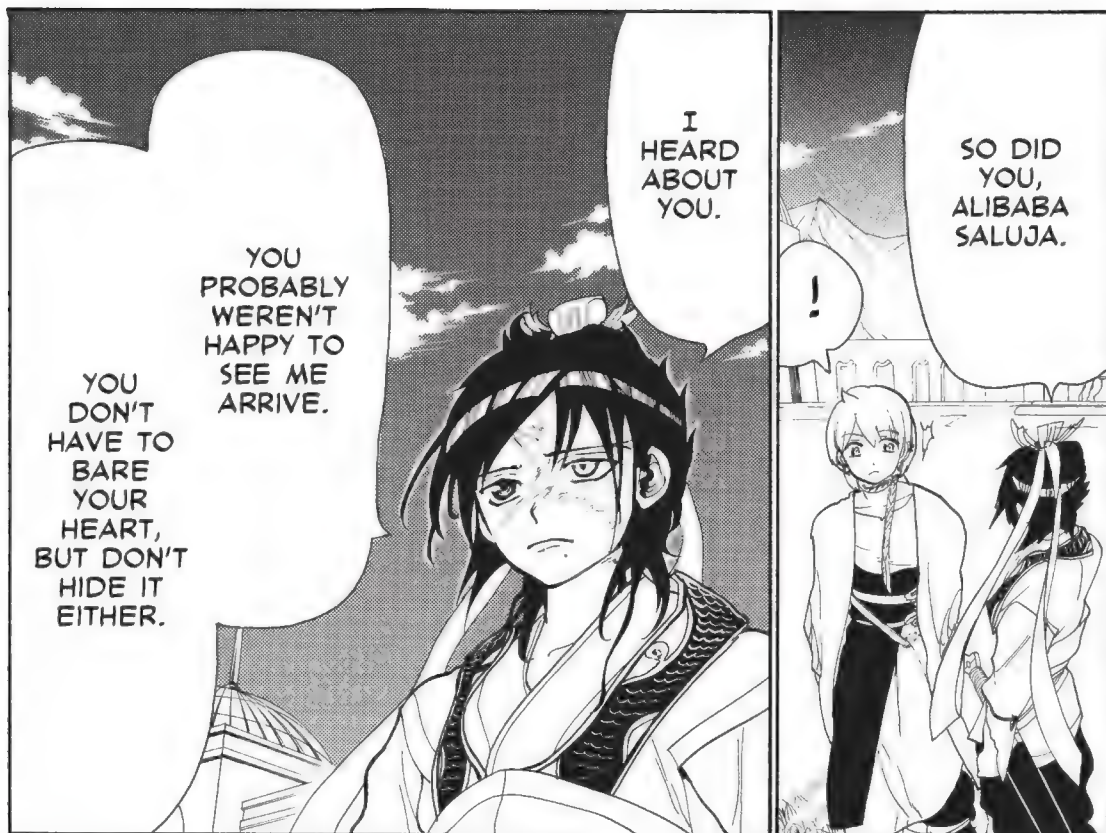
Finger-  
nail  
stab!!!

YOU'RE  
HURTING  
ME!!

R  
U  
S  
H









ALSO  
KNOWN AS  
ENTEI, THE  
FIRE LORD,  
HE IS THE  
EMPIRE'S  
STRONGEST  
GENERAL.

KOEN  
REN, FIRST  
PRINCE OF  
THE KOU  
EMPIRE.

TO HIM,  
BAL-  
BADD'S  
TURMOIL  
WAS A  
STEPPING-  
STONE!

HE IS  
AMBITIOUS  
AND SEES  
BALBADD  
AS A  
BASE FOR  
WESTERN  
EXPANSION.

ONLY HE  
AND KING  
SINBAD  
POSSESS  
MORE THAN  
ONE.

HE  
POSSESSES  
THREE  
METAL  
VESSELS.

...

...AND  
FRIENDS!!

...MANY  
BELOVED  
CITIZENS,  
RELATIVES...

...YOU  
LOST...

DURING THAT  
UPHEAVAL...







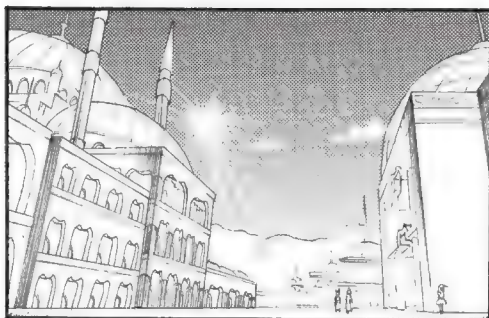


...?!

MAYBE NOT  
SOON, BUT  
SOMETIME!



LET'S  
TALK  
MORE  
SOME-  
TIME.



ALIBABA...

...



HOW ARE  
YOUR  
PUPILS?

WELL  
THEN...  
...YOUR  
REPORTS?



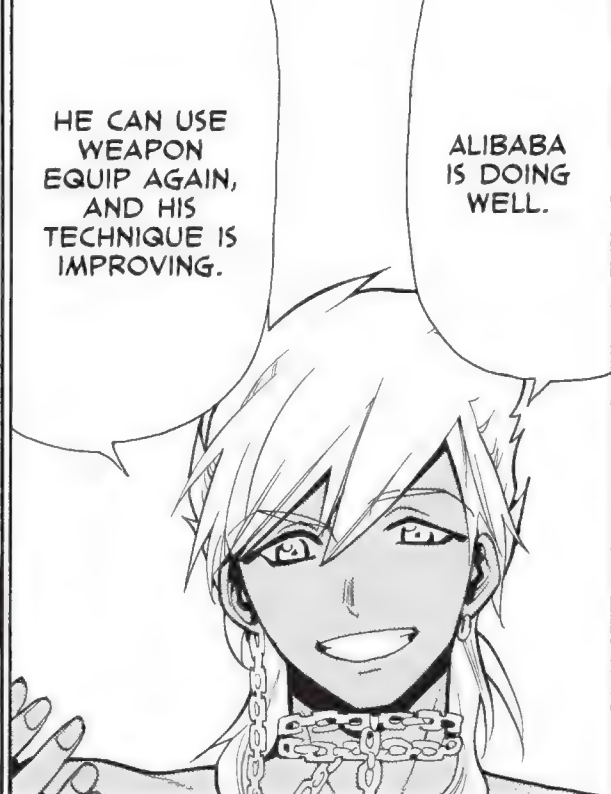
...AND HE  
COPIED  
MY  
WATER  
MAGIC!  
HE'S GOT  
TALENT!

HE HAS  
LEARNED  
NEW  
MAGIC...

ALADDIN  
HAS  
GROWN  
STRONG-  
ER.

HE CAN USE  
WEAPON  
EQUIP AGAIN,  
AND HIS  
TECHNIQUE IS  
IMPROVING.

ALIBABA  
IS DOING  
WELL.



WELL ...  
...MORGI-  
ANA WAS  
STRONG  
BEFORE...

WELL ...

AND  
MORGIANA  
?



HOUSE-  
HOLD  
VESSELS  
GAIN  
POWER...

...THROUGH  
BATTLE  
ALONGSIDE  
A  
LEADER'S  
METAL  
VESSEL,  
RESULTING  
IN RECOG-  
NITION  
BY ITS  
DJINN.

...BUT SHE  
HASN'T  
ACTIVATED  
HER  
HOUSE-  
HOLD  
VESSEL.





HMM...  
REAL  
BATTLE...

PRACTICE  
WITH ME IS  
POINTLESS.  
SHE MUST  
EXPERIENCE  
REAL  
BATTLE WITH  
ALIBABA.



SUMMON  
THEM  
HERE!

IT'S TIME  
TO MAKE  
THEM  
WORK!

FOR SIX  
MONTHS,  
THEY'VE  
BEEN  
EATING  
HERE FOR  
FREE.



I HAVE  
CALLED  
YOU ALL  
HERE  
FOR ONE  
REASON...



...ARE  
GOING TO  
CAPTURE  
A  
DUNGEON!

YOU  
THREE...

CAPTURE  
A  
DUNGEON  
??!

!!!

THE  
DUNGEON  
...

...YOU  
WANT  
US TO  
CAP-  
TURE?  
WHERE  
IS THE  
DUN-  
GEON...

...AND  
I'VE BEEN  
LOOKING  
FOR  
SOMEONE  
TO GO.

YOU'VE  
GROWN  
STRONG-  
ER...

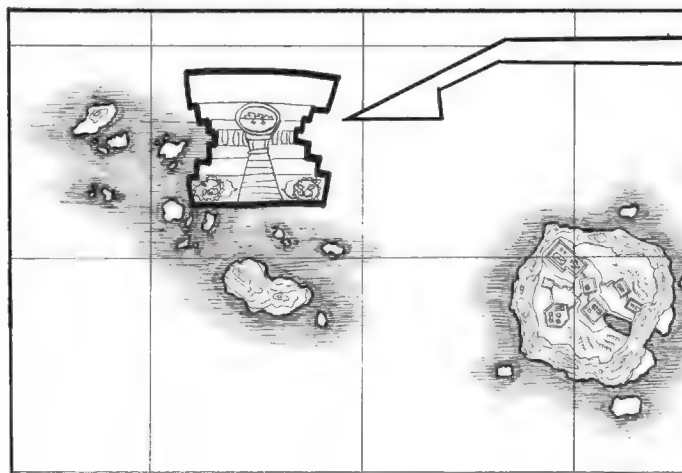
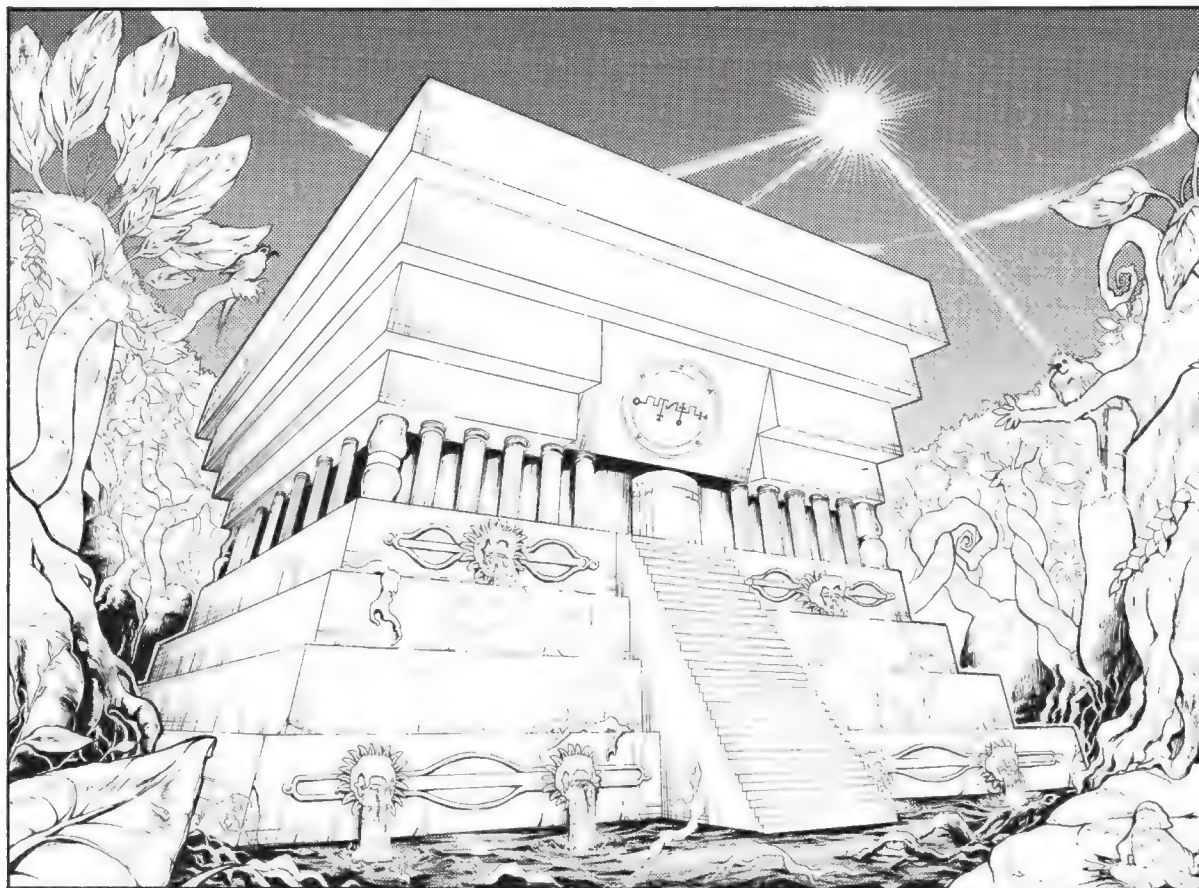
AMON  
WAS THE  
LAST  
TIME!

CAPTURE  
A DUN-  
GEON...

IT IS A  
SECRET  
PALACE  
OF THE  
SOUTH  
SEAS!

...APPEARED  
RECENTLY  
ON AN  
ISOLATED  
ISLAND  
SOUTH OF  
SINDRIA.

MMMMMMMM

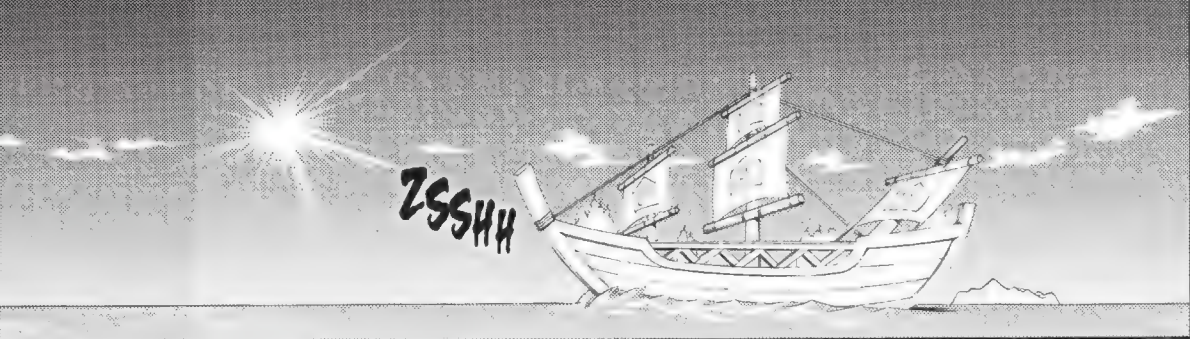


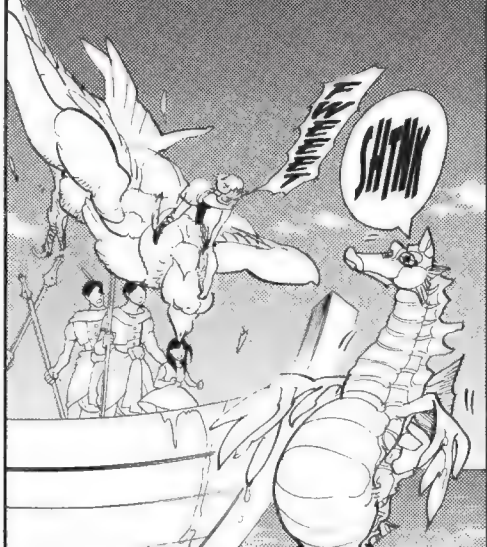
## DUNGEON NO. 61: ZAGAN

LOCATION: SOUTHEAST OF  
SINDRIA

TIME SINCE FIRST  
APPEARANCE:  
APPROX. 2 YEARS













BY  
HARMONIZING  
WITH THE  
RUKH, I MAKE  
FRIENDS WITH  
ANIMALS!



MY  
WHISTLE  
TAMES  
THEM!

THAT'S  
OKAY!  
THE  
DOLPHINS  
WILL  
HELP!



!

I'm  
Best at  
Birds!

I'M NOT  
GREAT  
AT SEA  
CREATURES  
OR BIG  
ANIMALS!



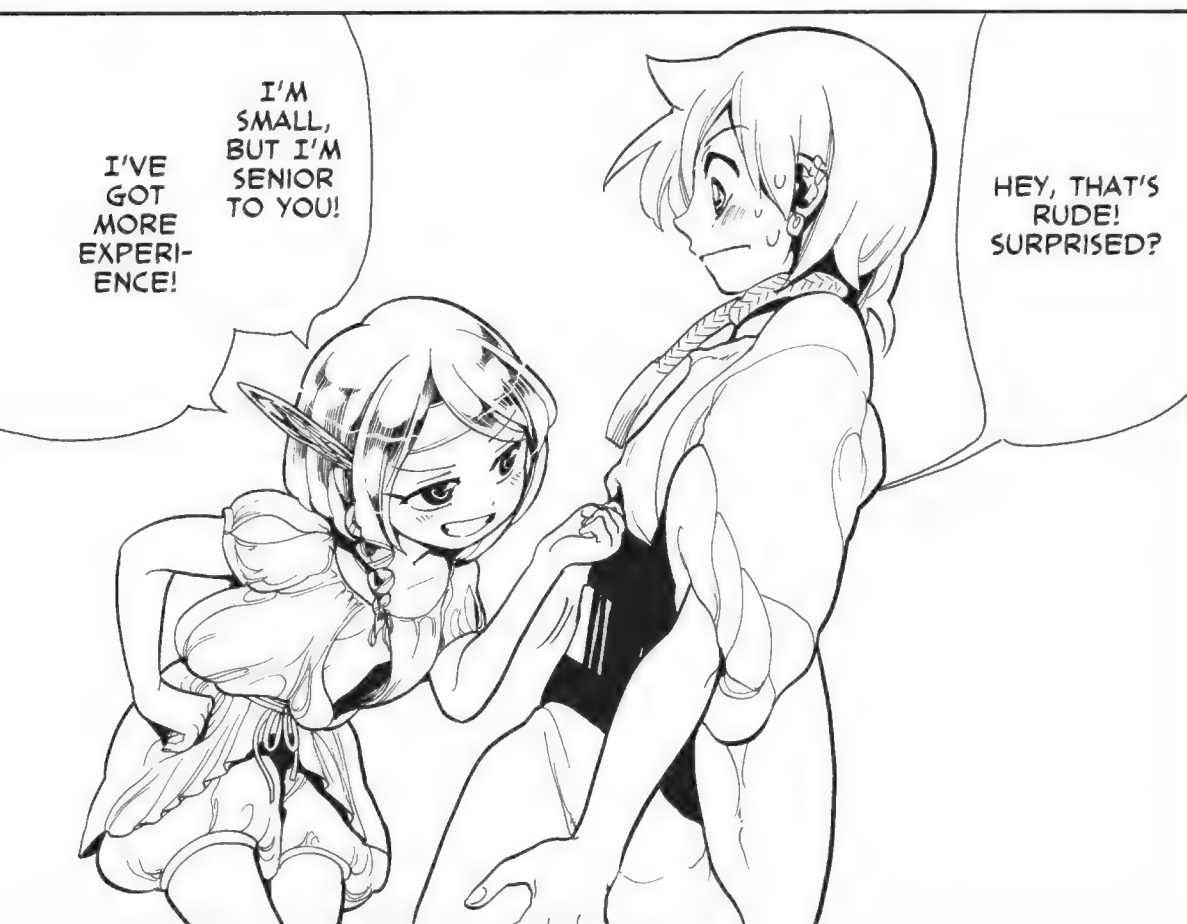
THAT  
WAS A  
BLAST!

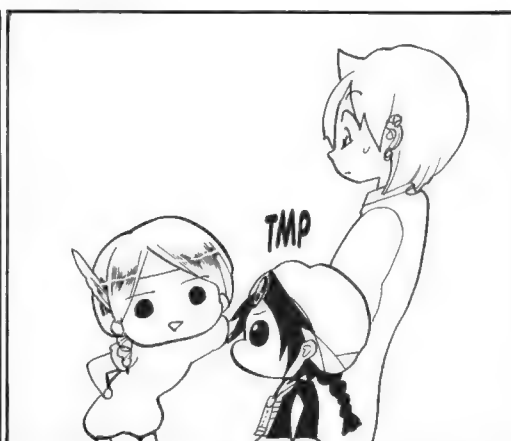
ZSSHH

AHH!  
WHAT A  
SWIM!

OH? I'M  
GLAD!





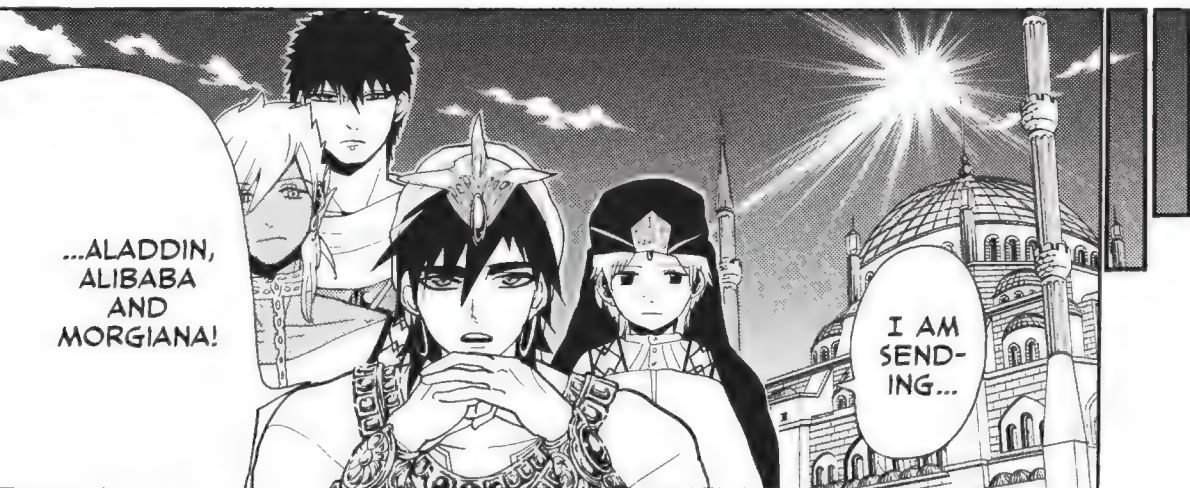
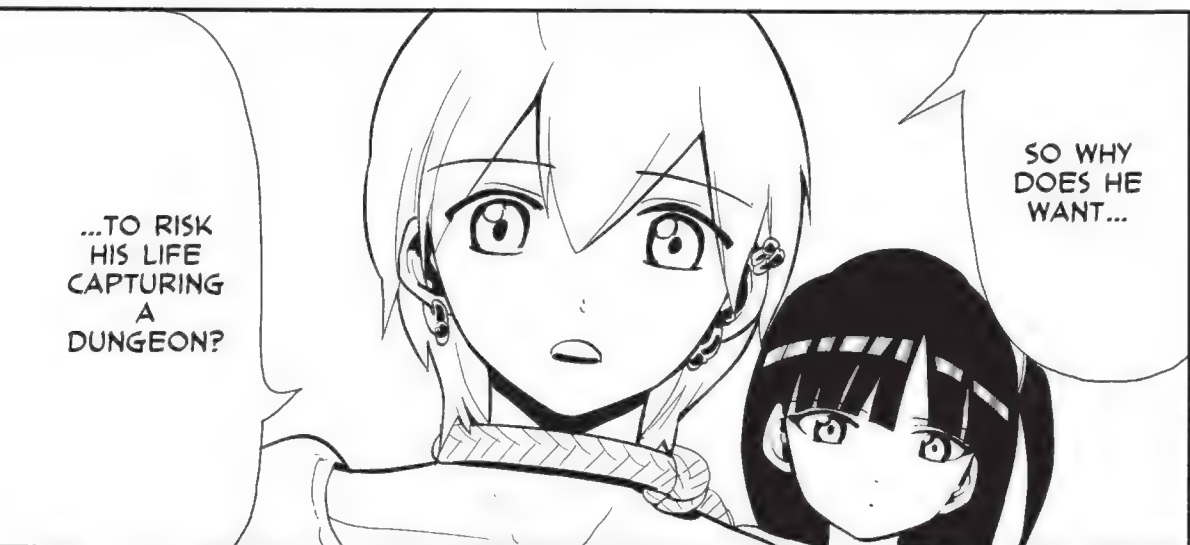














NO OTHER  
NATIONS HAVE  
DISCOVERED  
ZAGAN YET.

!



AL-THAMEN  
COULD  
CAPTURE IT  
AND SEIZE  
THE POWER  
OF ITS METAL  
VESSEL.

HOWEVER,  
SOMEONE  
WITH A  
DUNGEON  
TOOL FOR  
FLIGHT  
COULD FIND  
IT.



WHY  
NOT?

?

I WISH I  
COULD  
GO  
MYSELF,  
BUT I  
CAN'T.



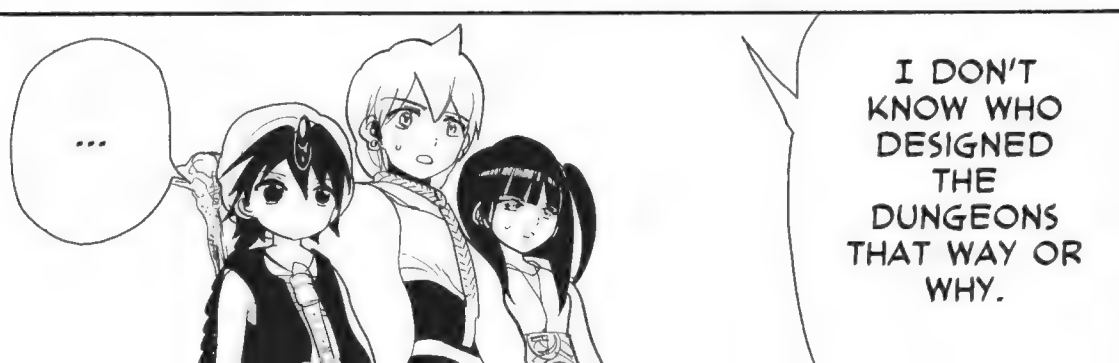
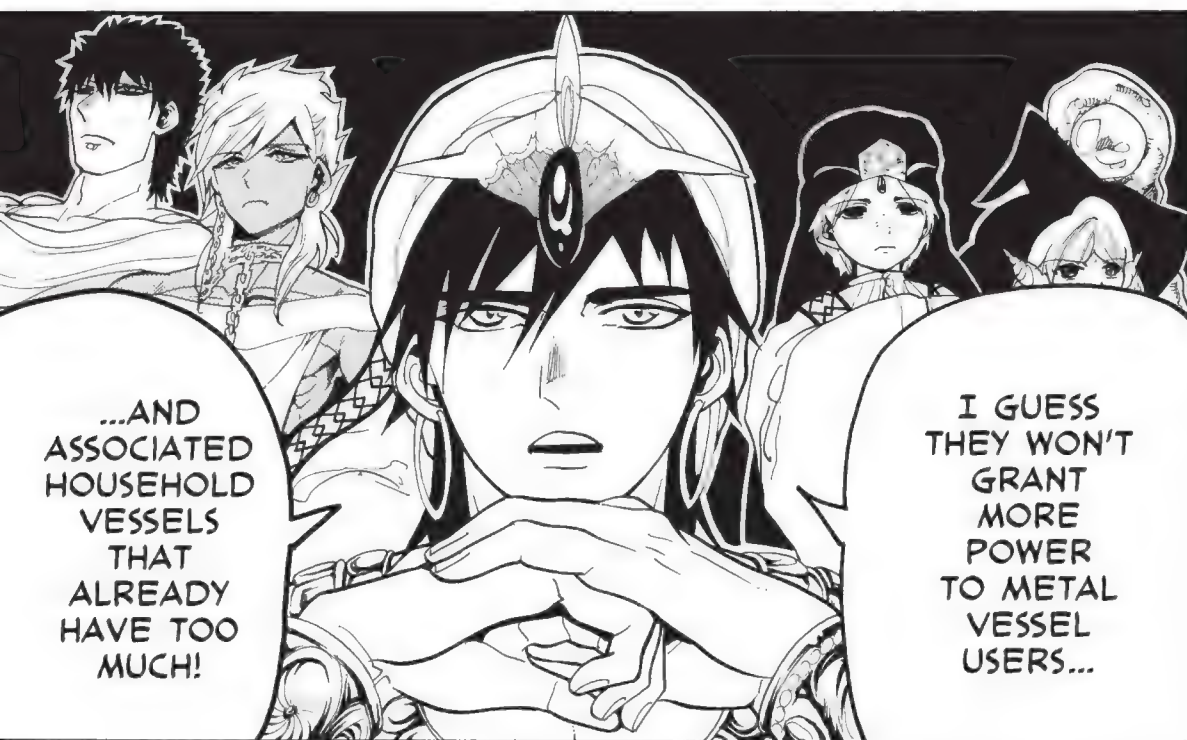
...PASS  
THROUGH  
THE  
DUNGEON'S  
HOLY  
GATE...

WHEN  
THE EIGHT  
GENERALS  
AND I...



SO I  
WANT  
YOU TO  
GO.







YEAH!

EVEN  
THOUGH IT'S  
DANGEROUS?

WE'LL  
DO IT!

UNDER-  
STOOD!



GOOD.

WE ALREADY  
CAPTURED  
ONE DUNGEON  
AND WE'RE  
STRONGER  
NOW, SO WE'LL  
BE FINE.



THEY...  
CHANGE  
?

...?



...MAY  
I GO  
TOO?

UM...



SO BE  
CAREFUL!

BUT THE  
DUNGEONS  
CHANGE  
ACCORDING  
TO THEIR  
CHAL-  
LENGERS'  
STRENGTH.





PRINCE  
HAKURYU!



THE  
EMPEROR  
ENTRUSTED  
YOU TO ME.  
I DON'T  
WANT TO  
ENDANGER  
YOU.



I'VE ALWAYS  
WANTED TO  
CAPTURE A  
DUNGEON  
WITH A  
MAGI!



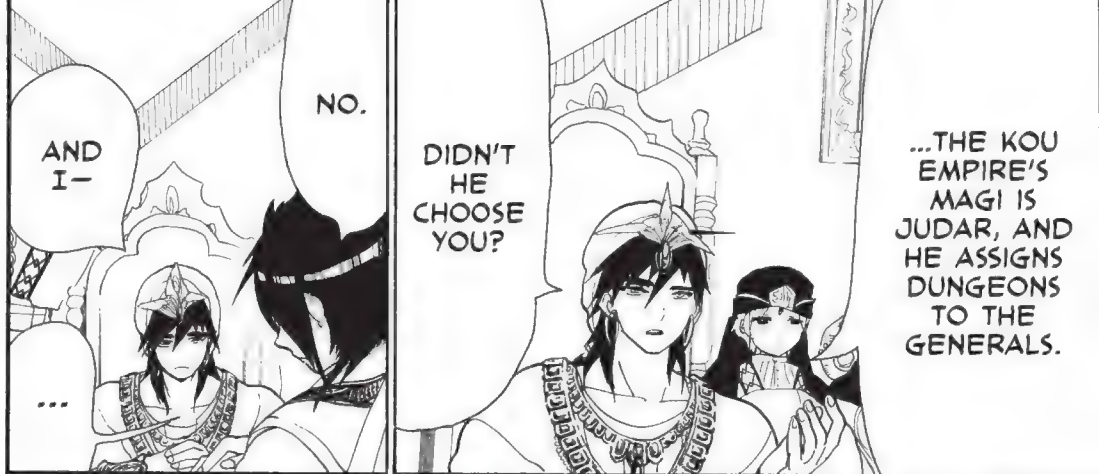
BUT  
...

!



I'LL  
INFORM THE  
EMPIRE  
AHEAD OF  
TIME THAT  
IT WAS MY  
DECISION.

I  
WON'T  
CAUSE  
ANY  
TROU-  
BLE!





YES.

PSST  
PSST

ARE YOU  
SURE THIS  
IS ALL  
RIGHT?



HE WANTS TO  
BE STRONGER.  
IF WE  
REFUSE, HE'LL  
EVENTUALLY  
TURN TO  
JUDAR.

...BUT  
ALADDIN IS  
UNLIKELY  
BECAUSE  
HE'S A  
SORCERER.

BESIDES,  
HE MAY  
NOT  
GAIN THE  
DUNGEON'S  
POWER.  
ALIBABA  
AND  
MORGIANA  
WILL BE  
THERE...

IT'S IN  
ZAGAN'S  
HANDS!!

THE  
DJINN  
WILL  
CHOOSE  
A  
MASTER.



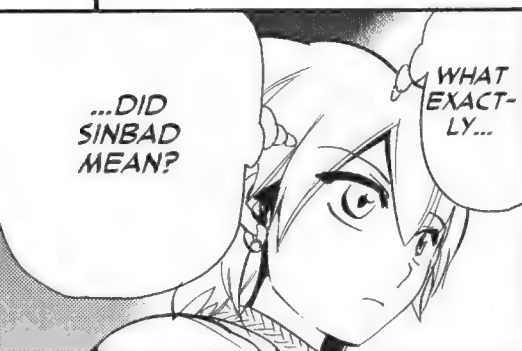
THERE'S  
THE  
ISLAND!!



ALIBABA!!

!!







SOMEONE  
YOU KNOW  
IS WAITING  
FOR YOU!

ALIBABA,  
STOP BY  
SINDRIA'S  
OUTPOST  
WHEN YOU  
ARRIVE.



WE'VE  
AR-  
RIVED  
!!



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The labyrinth of magic

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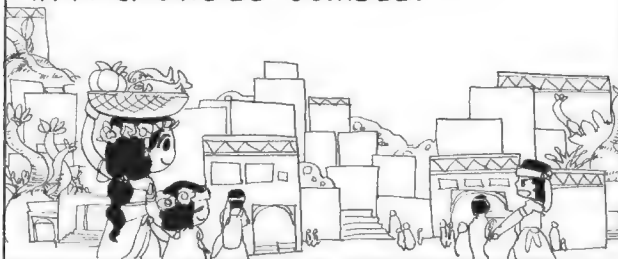
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## ① City

HOMES AND SHOPS LINE THE STREETS. AS THE POPULATION INCREASES, THE PEOPLE BUILD NEW HOUSES ATOP THE OLD, SO SMALL, BOX-LIKE HOUSES EXIST IN A CROWDED JUMBLE.



## ② City Center

THIS IS OPEN IN THE MORNING AND EVENING. LOCAL RESIDENTS AND VISITORS GATHER FOR COMMERCE. WITH SO MANY PEOPLE, IT'S QUITE LIVELY.



## ③ Harbor and Sea Routes

AGGRESSIVE SOUTH SEA CREATURES APPEAR IN THE SOUTH SEAS, SO IT'S DANGEROUS, BUT SINDRIA'S FORMIDABLE ARMY ALWAYS DEFENDS THE MERCHANT AND VISITING VESSELS, SO PEOPLE CAN ENJOY SAFE VOYAGES.



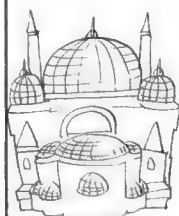
**THE KINGDOM  
OF SINDRIA  
ILLUSTRATED**

## ④ South Sea Creatures

THESE GIANT MARINE BEASTS LIVE IN THE SOUTH SEAS. MANY SPECIES ARE VIOLENT AND DANGEROUS. THE PEOPLE OF SINDRIA NAMED THEM HOWEVER THEY SAW FIT. COUNTRIES ON THE MAIN CONTINENT HAVE NOT STUDIED THEM VERY MUCH.

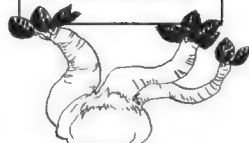


## Palace ⑦ Forest



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BAOBAROB



THESE GROW IN COLONIES IN ALL OFFSHORE WATERS AND ARE A PARTICULARLY POPULAR PLANT IN THE SOUTH SEAS. THE SINUOUS WAY THEIR STEMS GROW TOWARD THE LIGHT IS DISTINCTIVE.

PAPAGORAS



WHILE LOVED AS A DELICACY, CATCHING THIS BIRD IS DIFFICULT BECAUSE ITS BEAK CAN CRUSH ROCK AND IT BEHAVES EXTREMELY VIOLENTLY TOWARD ENEMIES.

ORAMI



THIS ANIMAL LIKES PEOPLE, SO SOMETIMES IT APPEARS IN THE CITY. IT STEALS FOOD FROM SHOP FRONTS, ANGERING THE SHOPKEEPERS. OFFSPRING GROW UP IN THEIR MOTHER'S TAIL.

## ⑥ National Trading House

THIS IS A SPECIAL PLACE FOR ENTERTAINING PEOPLE WHO COME FROM OFF-ISLAND. IT HAS AMUSEMENT FACILITIES INCLUDING LUXURY LODGING, BARS, AND A LARGE GAMBLING HOUSE, THEATER AND ARENA. EVEN AT NIGHT IT'S A LIVELY PLACE.




## ⑤ Orchards

THE ORCHARDS SPECIALIZE IN FRUIT. THEY DON'T PRODUCE MUCH, BUT SINCE THE FRUIT OF THE SOUTH SEAS IS RARE, THEY FETCH AN INCREDIBLY HIGH PRICE WITH MERCHANTS FROM THE CONTINENT.





**KING SINBAD**



**THE PEOPLE OF THE PALACE**

**EIGHT GENERALS**



**LORD**




**CIVIL SERVANTS**




**MILITARY OFFICERS**



**THE EIGHT GENERALS' FIGHTERS**



**OTHER GUESTS**



**SERVANTS**



**MAIDS, COOKS, ETC.**



**Eight Generals**

THE EIGHT STRONGEST WARRIORS IN THE KINGDOM OF SINDRIA. THEY LEAD THE FIGHT IN EMERGENCIES, SO THE PEOPLE REVERE THEM AS PROTECTIVE DEITIES. SEVERAL ARE GUESTS FROM ALLIED NATIONS, SO THEY ARE A SYMBOL OF TIES WITHIN THE COALITION OF THE SEVEN SEAS.


**The Eight Generals' Fighters**

WARRIORS WITH SPECIAL COMBAT ABILITIES. SECOND IN FEROCITY ONLY TO THE EIGHT GENERALS, THEY TRAIN EVERY DAY IN HOPES OF SOMEDAY SUCCEEDING THEIR GENERALS.


**Other Guests**

NON-CITIZENS OF SINDRIA WHO HAVE COME ONLY TEMPORARILY. THEY EACH POSSESS UNIQUE KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS AND USE THEM FOR SINDRIA. THEY EARN THEIR KEEP THROUGH THEIR CONTRIBUTIONS.

**⑦ White Capricorn Tower**




GOVERNMENT OFFICES. CIVIL SERVANTS PERFORM THEIR DUTIES HERE. A GREAT HALL ON THE FIRST FLOOR IS FOR ROYAL AUDIENCES AND DAILY MEETINGS.



**⑥ Great Bell**




USED IN CONJUNCTION WITH A SUNDIAL, THE BELL SOUNDS EVERY TWO HOURS TO INFORM PEOPLE OF THE TIME.




**SINDRIA PALACE ILLUSTRATED**


**① Purple Leo Tower**




THIS IS THE PRIVATE RESIDENCE FOR THE KING AND HIS CLOSE OFFICIALS. FEW PEOPLE HAVE ACCESS TO IT.




**② Red Cancer Tower**




THE MILITARY FACILITIES HERE INCLUDE THE ARMORY, TRAINING GROUNDS AND BARRACKS.




**③ Silver Scorpio Tower**




A PLACE FOR MARTIAL ARTS TRAINING. IN ADDITION TO THE NATIONAL ARMY, GUESTS OF THE KINGDOM TRAIN HERE AS WELL.




**④ Black Libra Tower**




THE LIBRARIES AND SCHOOLS HERE ARE A PLACE FOR EXCHANGING KNOWLEDGE.

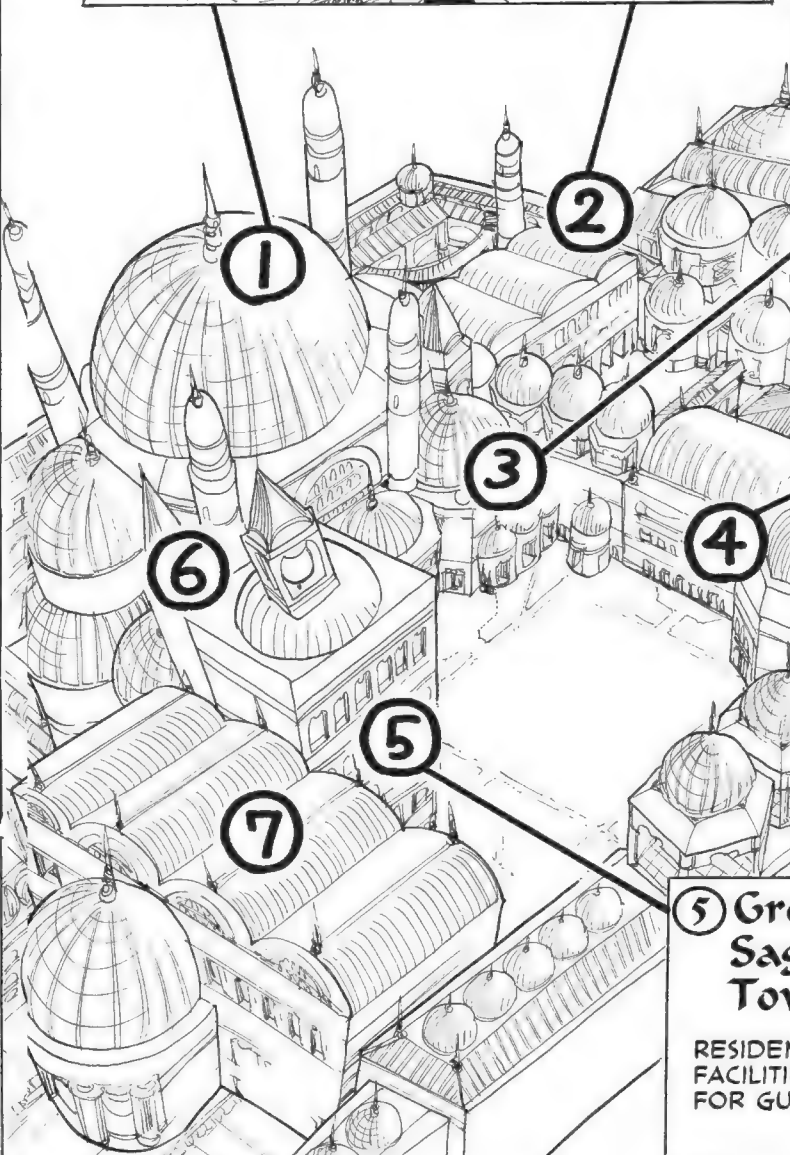


**⑤ Green Sagittarius Tower**



RESIDENTIAL FACILITIES FOR GUESTS.

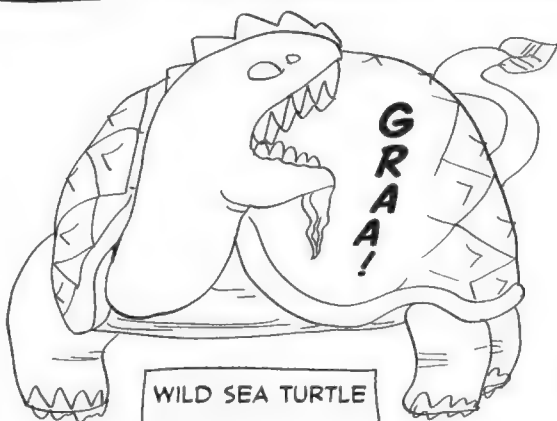




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## The Eight Generals Defeat a South Sea Creature

A SOUTH  
SEA  
CREATURE!



A SOUTH  
SEA  
CREATURE!



AS YOU  
WISH,  
M'LORD!!

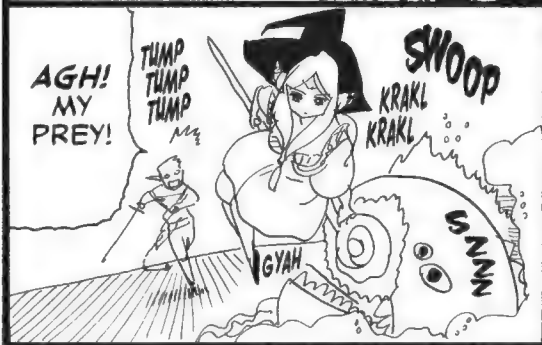


HANDLE  
THIS,  
SHARRKAN  
AND  
YAMRAIHA!



CHECK  
OUT MY  
ELEGANT  
SWORDS-  
MANSHIP!

I CAN  
DEFEAT  
THIS  
COLOSSUS  
IN NO  
TIME!





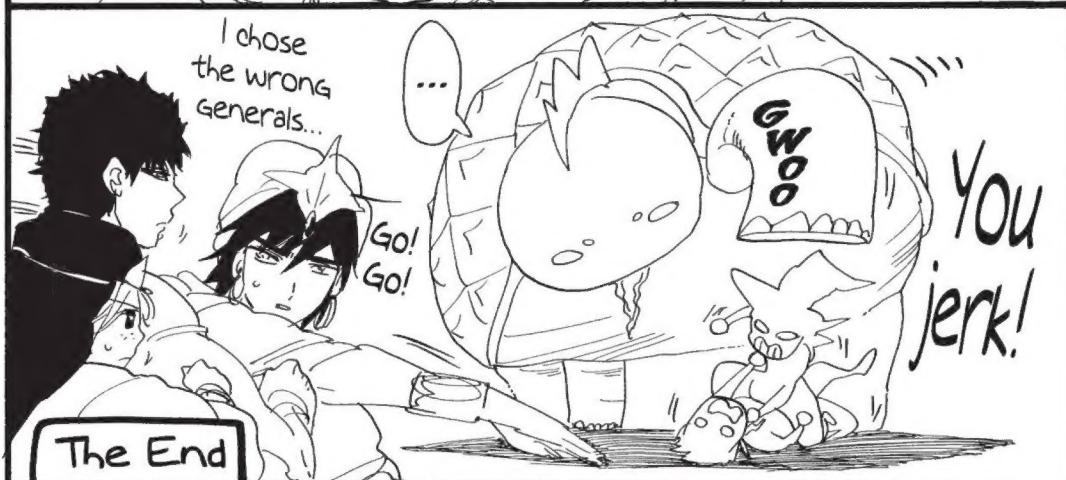




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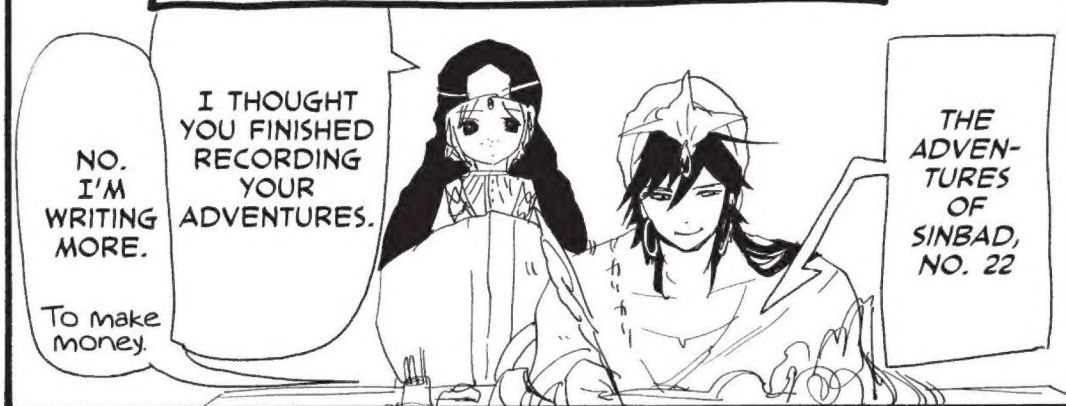
WH-  
WHAAAT  
?!

SHUT UP!  
WHAT ABOUT  
THAT MUSTY  
BLACK HAT?!  
INSTEAD OF  
READING  
SPELLBOOKS,  
PUT ON SOME  
MAKEUP!



The End

## Magi Vol. 9 Bonus Manga 2 The Eight Generals Become Legend



NO.  
I'M  
WRITING  
MORE.

To make  
money.

I THOUGHT  
YOU FINISHED  
RECORDING  
YOUR  
ADVENTURES.

THE  
ADVEN-  
TURES  
OF  
SINBAD,  
NO. 22







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*It's volume 9,  
my lady!*

